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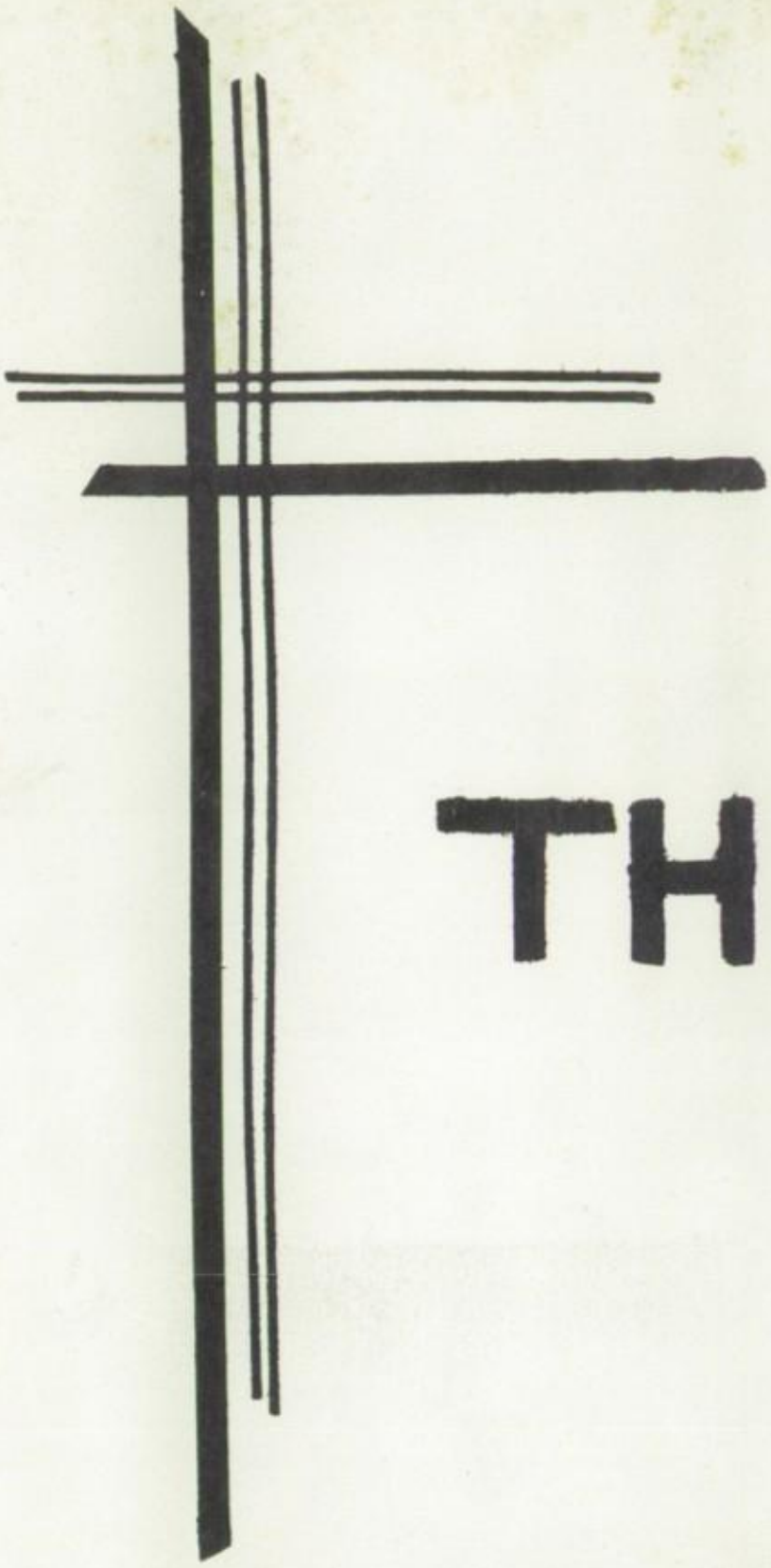

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PENNFIELD DUNLAP HIGH SCHOOL

1962

Sprawling lazily over the flat plains of southern Michigan lies a small school - Pennfield High School. It is our high school. It was built on our ambitions and dreams. It will remain firm in our future hopes. Soon a new high school and a new people will take its place, just as new people and new nations are created in the world. Pennfield is our world; a world within a world; one of small dimensions but a place that commands the largest part of our hearts and souls. Contained within this book is a small segment of Pennfield High. It is a picture of how we work, eat, and play - a part of our lives.

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PENNFIELD

Our Small World at

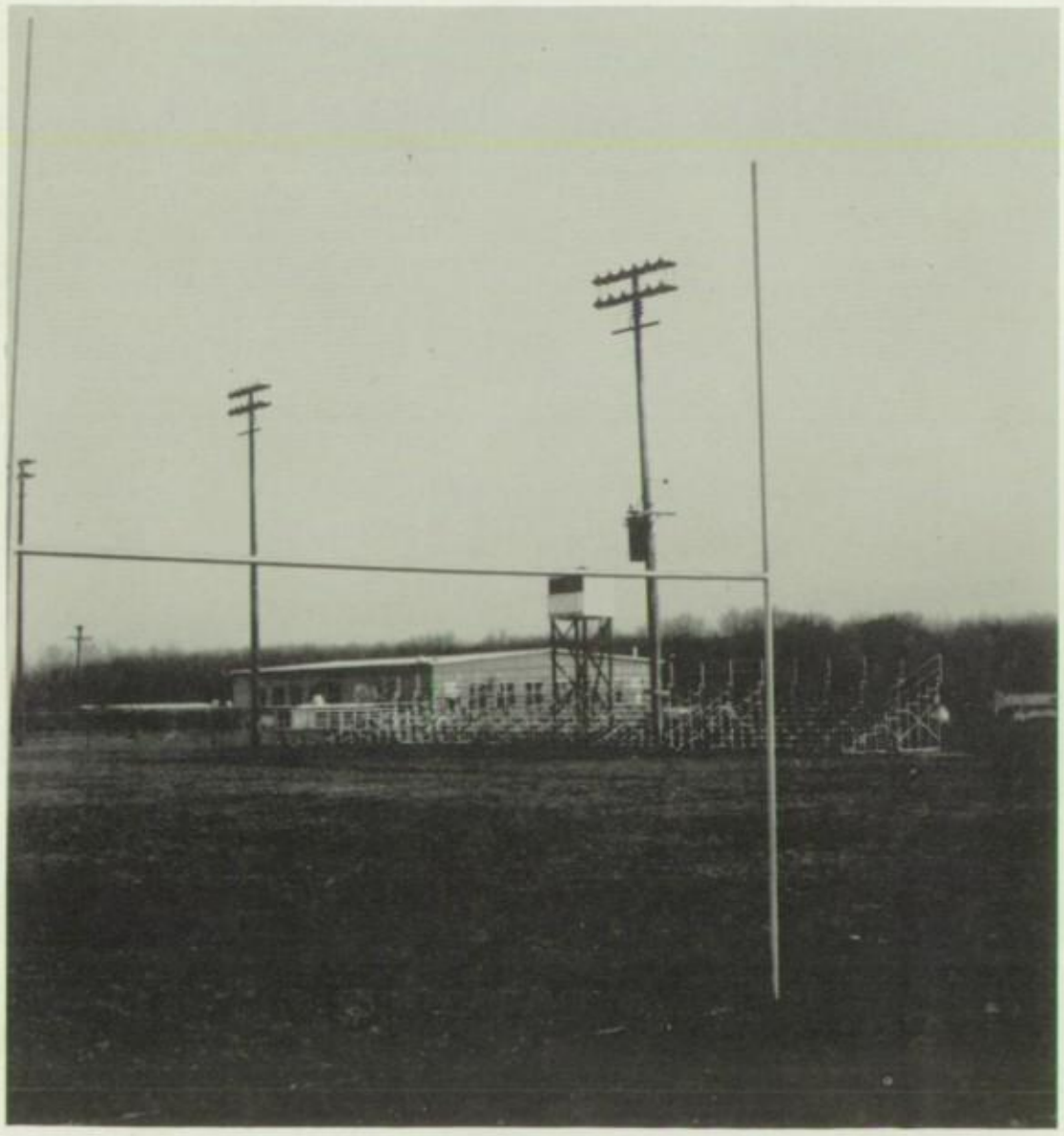
HIGH SCHOOL, Battle Creek, Michigan.

Pennfield Shall Always Remain a Part of Us

Within the campus buildings is contained the spark of truth; the fountain of learning. Each becomes an essential part of student life.

As the student body expands, so must the structural basis of the school itself. New buildings are a sign of our growth and development toward higher standards.

Pennfield's



Home of the mighty "Panthers."

This was the scene of the most dramatic moments in the history of our school - it was here that tears were shed and hearts were broken, but more often it was the scene of happy screaming fans as our boys streaked down the battered field to make that all-important touchdown. It was also the scene of determined practice as the boys practiced runs, tackles, and fancy plays for next week's game. But the next day the grueling football games were forgotten as the season's sports moved on.

gigantic new high school.

The band house, naturally, is the spectrum of musical activity. It is here that musicians are born and are earnestly encouraged to continue their musical studies. Ardent leadership and splendid co-operation of the band students has resulted in a very successful marching band.

"Noteworthy" building

The hum of saws, the buzz of the drill and the pounding of hammers are always associated with the busy place known as the shop. Various skilled arts such as drafting, architecture, and wood crafts are taught to the future laymen.

Shop class is held here!

Berta and Steve do the "Twist!"

Pennfield students soon became addicted to the latest fads that swept the nation. Shown here is Berta Jones, wearing the popular knee-socks, crew neck cardigan, short pleated skirt, and the newest hairstyle, "the bubble." Steve Brady is her partner in the "twist," the crazy dance that zoomed to popularity all over the United States and Europe.

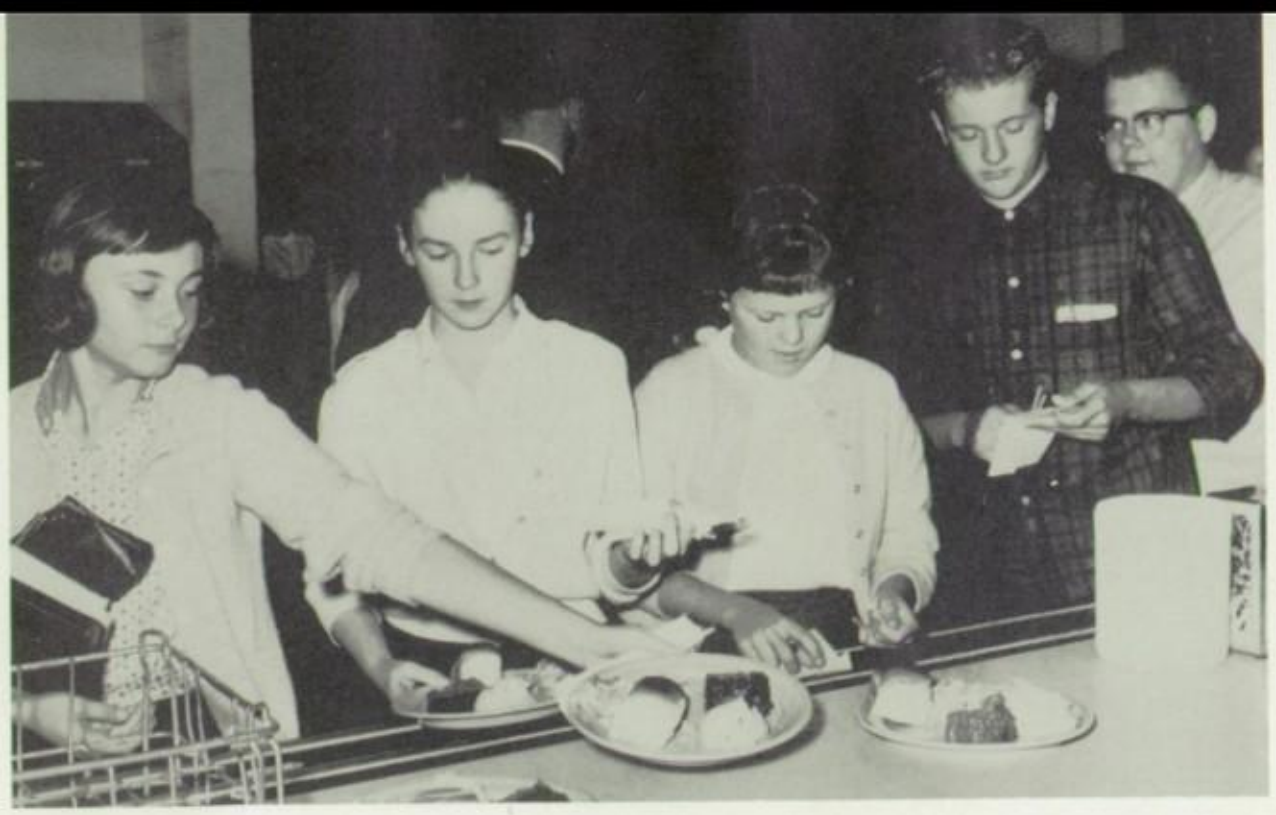
Student Activities

Lunch hour becomes the height of gaiety of campus life. Books and teachers are forgotten as all flock to the social room to dance or just listen to the currently popular records.

The social room, a busy place.

A quiet

The social room is sponsored by the Student Council and a fee of a nickel is required to get in. The money from this is used to play the juke box and the students are allowed to choose the tunes.



Looks good doesn't it?

One needs physical food as well as mental food. Lunch is served cafeteria-style and students disperse to various rooms to eat and catch up on the latest gossip. There are students who help serve so that others may enjoy a warm meal.

Reflect General Campus Life

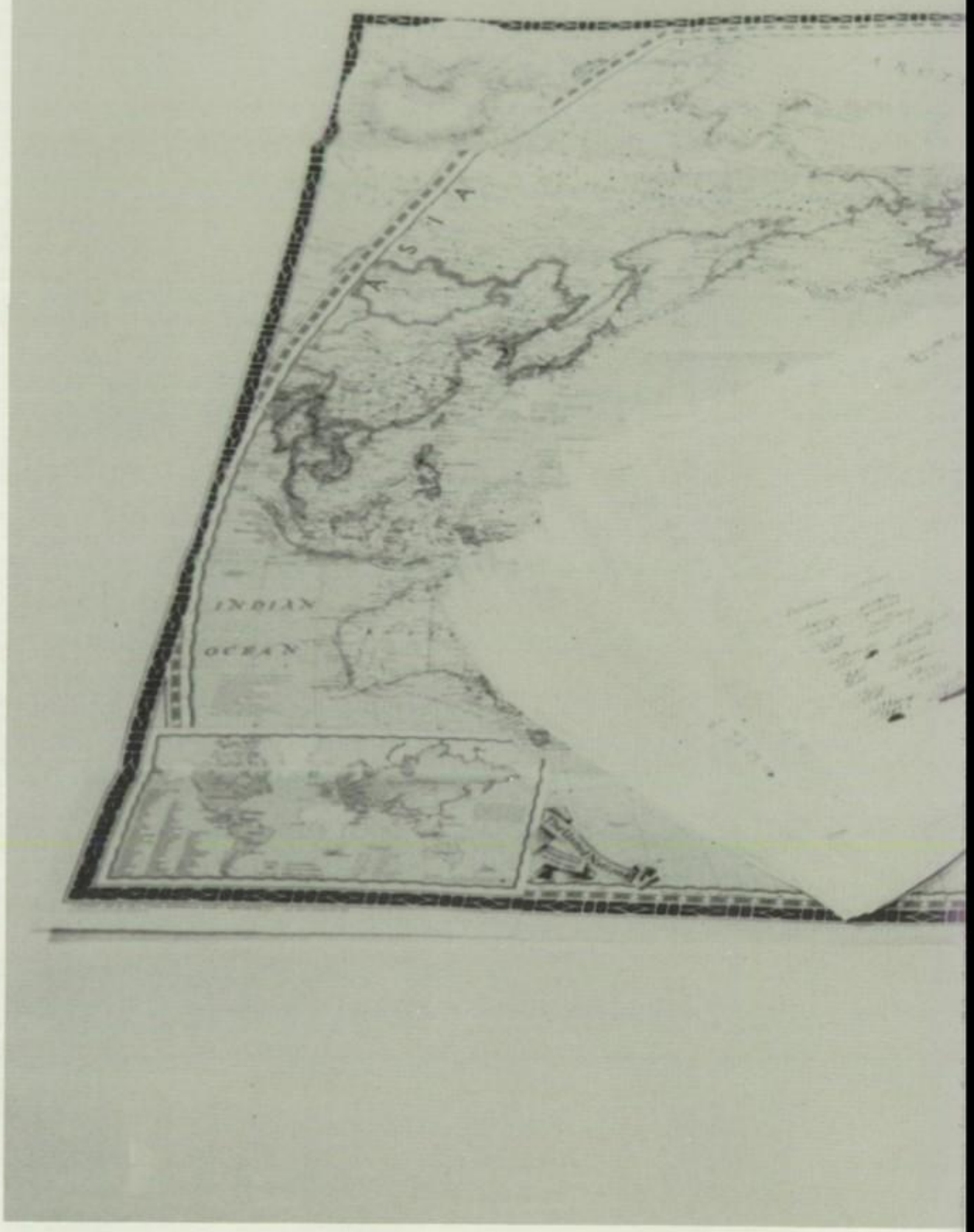
Between classes - is a time of chatter and laughter and the banging of lockers before the next class begins. All noise is soon subdued, however, as the tardy bell rings a last warning and nothing more is heard save the echoing step of a late student.

The corridors of Pennfield High!

moment for Jan.

Learning is the most essential part of school. Spare moments are spent by grade-conscious students in a quiet corner to cram for a forgotten English test or to brush up on chemical symbols.

Our teachers of today guide us to become the leaders of tomorrow. As our leaders and counsellors, imparting their knowledge to the students is not their only task. As public representatives, they are also an ideal to the students who look up to them as their instructors. It is through the teachers that we acquire and retain knowledge. It is through their prompt assistance that we learn good study habits and excellent citizenship. Gently but firmly they instruct us in the regulations and moral codes of the school. A wayward student is never ignored; the faculty is alert to every emotional or physical problem they may be forced to encounter. A willing and helpful hand is never wasted. They show us new paths to follow so that we will be able to compete with the world in the future.



Leaders of Today Instruct

Us to Face the World of Tomorrow.

The School Board

Superintendent Russell Newell

Mr. Newell, our superintendent, is a man of varied interests. He is especially fond of basketball and has coached teams on to many district and regional championships. His biggest thrill came in 1942, while he was coaching at Sherman Township Rural Agricultural School, his team won the regional championship and then went on to win the State Championship. While coaching at Houghton Lake, he started the first football team. Another one of his interests is music; he plays the trumpet and at one time had his own band. He also plays the piano by ear. Since coming to Pennfield, eight years ago, he has served as our superintendent. We, the students at Pennfield, do indeed appreciate this wonderful and versatile man.

President Karl Gasser

The main purpose of the school board is to formulate the policies of the school. Under the leadership of the president, Carl Gasser, the school board meets once a month to discuss and vote on current controversial issues. Recently they appropriated one million six hundred dollars for the building of a new high school. Completion of the new school will be in the fall of 1962. Each of the members of the board was elected by the community on the basis of their leadership, ability, and intelligence. They serve as representatives of the parents and do their best to carry out actions for the benefit of the school.

Secretary
Martha Pender

Treasurer
Robert Barker

Trustee
Edward Lapekas

Trustee
Donald Pope

Governs All School Policies

Trustee
Norman Sickinger

Trustee
Olin Barnhill

Mr. Newell and his son, Lee, share a common interest and hobby - fishing.

The school board in action.

LESLIE PESEK
Biology
B.S., M.A. from Michigan State

JOHN DECHOW
Principal
B.S., M.A. from University of Michigan

FRANK ISAACSON
Commercial
B.S. from Ferris Institute

Through the Years, the Our Guide

DIANE WILSEY
English
B.A. from Kalamazoo College

ROGER SCHUT
Math
B.A. from Hope College

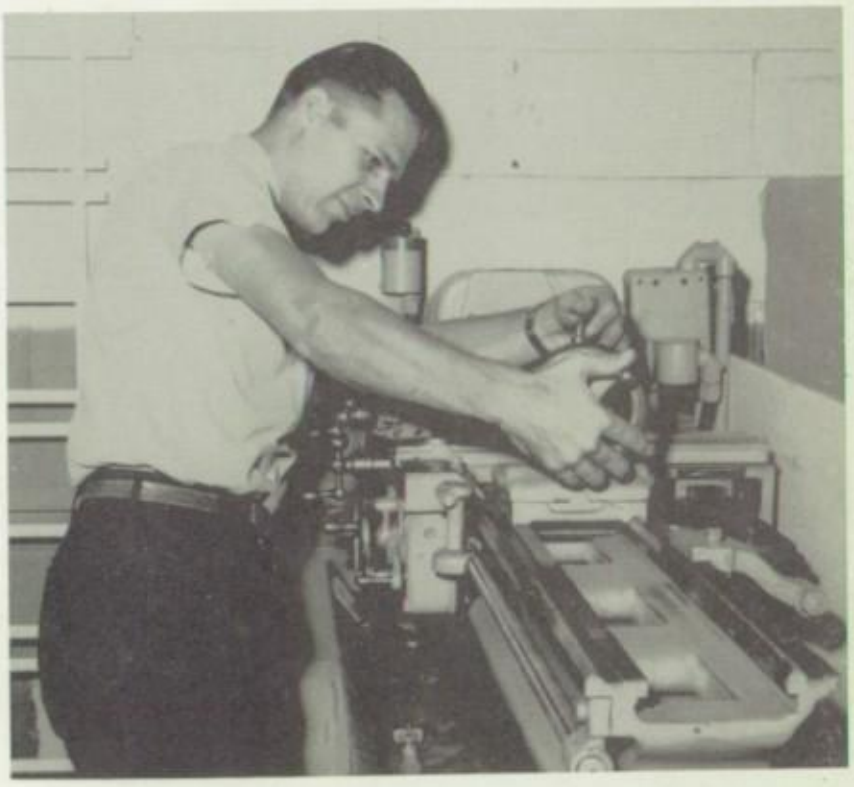
TOM ERIKSON
English
B.A. from Hillsdale College

BOBBETTE STONER
History
B. A. from Carlton College

GEORGE PRICE
Social Science
B. A. from Western Michigan

PATRICIA WHITTAKER
Spanish
B. A. from Albion College

Faculty Have Been posts.



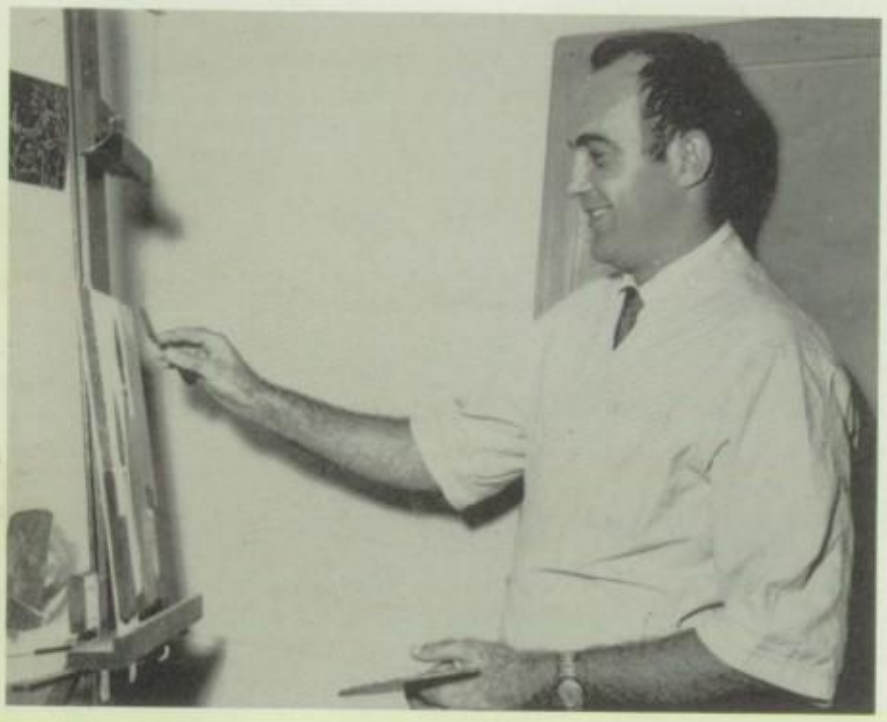
GENE VAN RHEE
Industrial Arts
B. S. from Western Michigan

DONALD CAMPBELL
Science
B. S. from Northern Michigan

EVELYN LEE
Home Economics
B. S. from Tennessee Polytechnic

EDWARD PICKELL
Band
B. A., M. A. from Albion College

ANGELINE BARDEN
Business Math
B. S., M. A. from Western Michigan



PAUL FREDERICK
Art
B. S. from Western Michigan

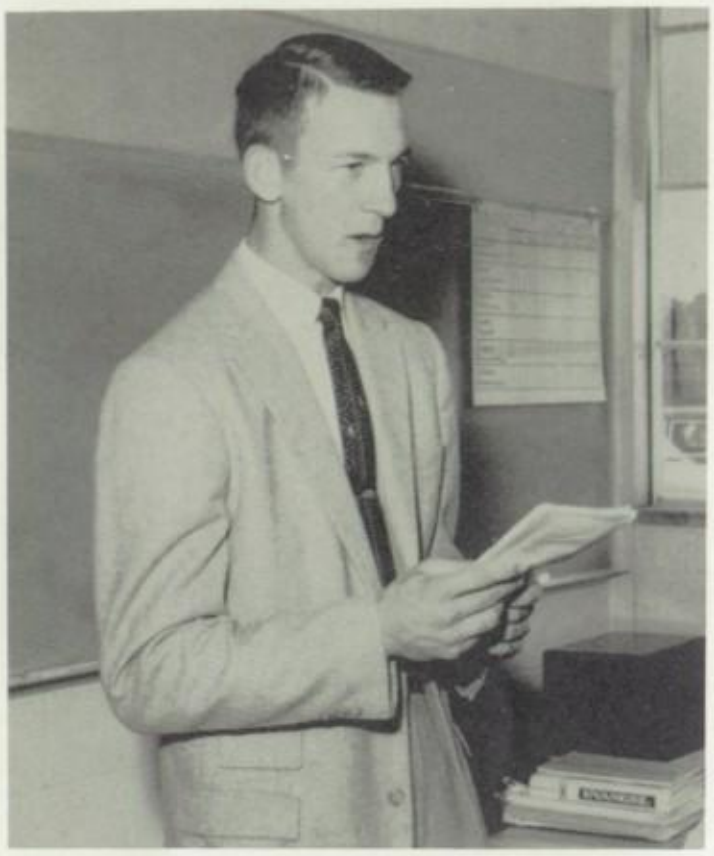
OLIVE LONDON
Guidance and Orientation
B. A. from Western Michigan

We Shall Ever Remember as Well as Our

JOAN ANDERSON
English
B. S. from St. Cloud State College

JUNE GILBERT
Math
B. A. from Western Michigan

BETTY FREDERICKSON
Library, Latin
B. A., M. A. from Western Michigan



GERALD HENDRICKSON
Commercial
B.S. from Ferris Institute

DEAN MOORE
Physical Ed., Health
B.S. from Michigan State Univ.

JAMES CLEVENGER
Speech Correction
B.A. from Western

Them as Our Friends, Instructors.

EVA McCONNELL
Remedial Reading
Western Michigan

HELENA PET
Vocal
Western Michigan

SHIRLEY OWCZARZAK
Physical Ed., Health
B.S. from Central Michigan

Elementary Teachers Are Invaluable for the Years Ahead.

ROW 1: Avis Bammer, Martha Greendonner, Martha Strong, Ernestine Thompson. ROW 2: Stella Cantrell, Alma Comstock, Jo Ellen Stewart, Susan Dryer.

Many new teachers have been added to the elementary staff this year. By their combined efforts, various new and original ideas have been tried. In the early, formative years, the elementary teacher's influence is essential not only as a teacher but as a guiding light for the years of advancement that are yet to follow.

Elementary Co-ordinator
MRS. PAULINE FRENCH

ROW 1: Roberta Stewart, Genevieve Nichols, Sandra Schepel, Loretta Taylor, June Firman, Dorotha Thomas. ROW 2: Principal Harold Creekmur, Betsy Peterson, Lou Ellen Fry, Judy Hoffman, Betty Skulstad, Doris Hammond, Pauline Cox, Marian Shearer, Bertha McClain, Ethel Steffes.

Teachers and Secretaries Provide Invaluable Service

Sherill Rausch, Barbara Black, Mary Pennock, and Janet Jones.

Working diligently to guide young teenagers through their troubled junior high years, were the junior high teachers. They had a difficult job because much patience and understanding was needed, in addition to teaching. Not only did they have to teach basic math, history, and English, but they also instructed students in manners and social knowledge.

Invaluable to the superintendent and principal of Pennfield were the secretaries. Through their efforts, correspondence was answered and composed; student records were kept; and numerous telephone messages were recorded. Their main responsibility was to keep the records and general office work in order.

ROW 1: Edwin Adams, Jr., A.B., Albion College; Rose Bivens, Secretary; Shirley Owczarzak, B.S., Central Michigan University; Lynn Kane. B.A., Michigan State University; Virginia Bowden, B.A. and M.A., Emanuel Mississippi College; Thomas Sanglier, A.B., Olivet College. ROW 2: Dale Purkey, B.S., Michigan State University; Morton Mattson, B.S., Central Michigan University; Phillip Crooks, B.A., Western Michigan University; Roger Dyke, B.A., Alma College; Dale Dittmer, B.S., Western Michigan University; Walter Hansel, Principal, B.S., Western Michigan University.

To improve our writing and speaking skills is the main object of the English classes. Besides learning the grammar essentials, students probe deeply into the writings of Thoreau, Whitman, Bennet and other famous authors. All is not work, however, as different groups are allowed to work out skits for practice in public appearance and carry on fake meetings in learning correct parliamentary procedure.

Languages Increase Cultural Learning of Students

The main aim of the Spanish classes is to instill in the students not only a general knowledge of the language but also to teach them to speak and write Spanish fluently. Colorful posters of Mexico such as these also aid the students to learn about the countries in which Spanish is the native tongue.

One of the most important things that Latin students find out early in the course is that Latin cannot be correctly called a dead language. The student is usually amazed to find that many English words are derived from Latin words. In learning Latin, the individual also studies the works of Caesar and ancient myths of Rome.

History class explores the old and the new, the present and the future. A unique and interesting subject, it helps students to understand national and international problems that face the world today.

Basic Subjects Lead to Newer Horizons of Education

Algebra is a basic course for all mathematicians. Soon simple equations like $2x - 3y = 5$ are readily understood and applied in everyday usage.

Physics is one of the most practical sciences, as it solves the basic problems of motion and force. Mr. Campbell is demonstrating such a problem to his physics students who are ready to learn and eager to apply their knowledge.

In the business classes, typing, shorthand, and bookkeeping, the most important aim is for precision and efficiency. Typing and shorthand classes prepare the way for hopeful secretaries, while bookkeeping is a useful aid in any business firm. The latest equipment is available for the students including IBM typewriters and adding machines. The classes are taught so that students will be familiarized with working in a business office. Many students have found good jobs in top business firms after their graduation.

Hear the busy hum of the typewriters.

Business Classes Pave Future for Prospective Students

Learning to keep the books straight.

Girls practice dictation for shorthand class.

Basic Principals Are Taught to Willing Students

The future draftsmen of the world are happily drawing their circles and squares.

Drafting, art, and home economics comprise the basic subjects that prepare students for their domestic vocations. Each aids the students in their various crafts. Learning the fundamental principles of machines will help the drafting students in their vocations as much as learning the art of cooking will aid the future homemakers in theirs. Art class is not merely a time of painting pictures; art and design are essential to the budding artist, whether he intends to be an interior decorator, fashion designer, or magazine illustrator.

Enterprising artists hope to become the De Vinci's of tomorrow.

The homemakers of tomorrow are learning how to sew.

The library offers valuable information for those ambitious students who wish to do extra credit or work on their term papers. The library not only contains good books but also carries the latest magazines and newspapers. Mrs. Fredrickson and her staff are always on hand to aid the students in finding a particular book.

Students Develop Physical and Mental Aspects.

Gym class is required in the freshman and sophomore years at Pennfield. It encourages physical fitness and promotes good sportsmanship. Basketball is only one of the many activities that are offered.

Orientation is required for all freshmen entering Pennfield. Taught by a guidance counsellor, Mrs. Olive London, it helps explain any questions the frosh might have about high school. It also shows aspects of different job opportunities and how to plan their high school education to fit the needs of the career they choose.

ROW 1: B. Marcus, D. Hoskins, E. Pierce, D. Latchaw, B. Humeston, Mrs. Olsen, Z. Strohm, J. Volpe, O. Drew, A. Goldsworthy. ROW 2: G. Hick, J. Richards, B. Hallax, J. Wofford, H. Hoffman, D. Sidman, P. Sidman, D. Brown, V. Brown, R. D. Lee.

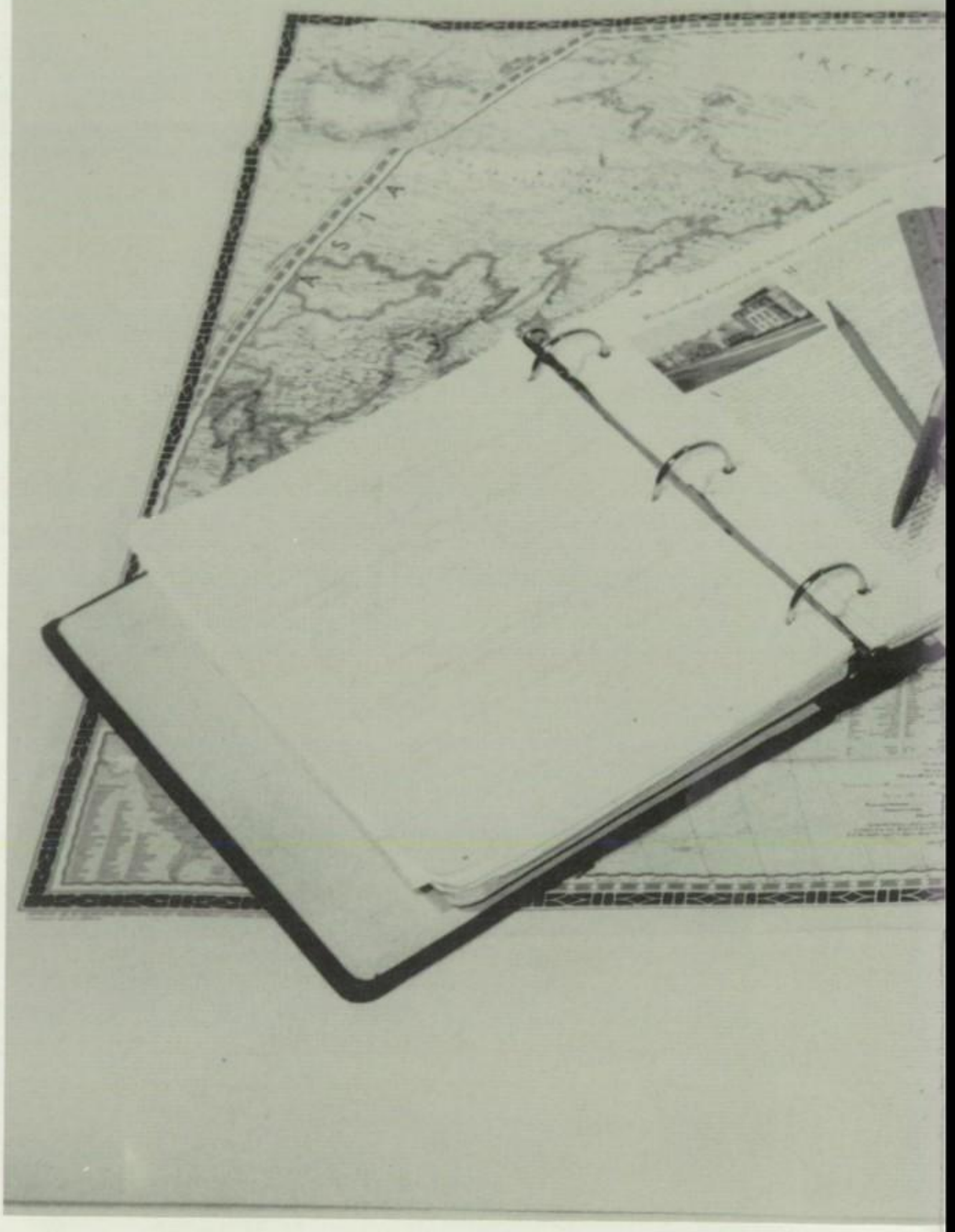
They Do the Most, but Are the Least Appreciated.

Mrs. Richards, the nurse, is ready to aid our needs.

Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Lytle.

Mr. Lee and Mr. Isaacson are always ready to lend a helping hand or supply a much-needed hammer or ladder.

Each class is as different, and individual, as citizens of various countries of the world. Each is governed by an elected set of officers, who leads the class in various activities. Money-raising projects are sponsored by each class and there is much rivalry even within a particular class itself. Social activities, such as dances, are promoted by both the upperclassmen and the freshmen and sophomores. Class meetings are held to decide controversial issues, and answer queries concerning certain class actions. Contests between classes are frequent, especially when pertaining to school spirit or class prestige. The four grades are united under one governing body, in the form of a Student Council, which consists of representatives from each grade.



We Are Proud That

We Were Part of Pennfield's World

Class of '62 Began Their Last

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Margie Bartholomew
Nana Guthrie

Janis Calladine
Doug Knight

Doug Knight, as class president, steered the Senior Class through its busiest and most important year. Seated beside Doug is Nana Guthrie, vice-president, and in back is Margie Bartholomew, secretary and Janis Calladine, treasurer. With Doug leading them, the class participated in, and sponsored a donkey basketball game and ran the concession stand during the football and basketball seasons. Under the supervision of the class officers, the Seniors presented a semi-formal dance, "Winter Wonderland," in December. They also took charge of the homecoming activities.

Amid all the fun and excitement, however, the future was not forgotten as the Seniors filled out their application blanks for college and had serious talks with their advisers, Mrs. London and Mr. Frederick. The class trip to Mackinac Island in June climaxed a wonderful senior year and an even more wonderful four years at Pennfield High.

Year With Eager Anticipation

PHILLIP BACON

STEVEN BANCROFT

MARJORIE BARTHOLOMEW

JOYCE BETTUO

MARTY BUNCE

GEORGE BURT

JANIS CALLADINE

JAMES CARL

The Days Flew by Swiftly as Homecoming Activities

JOHN COONE

RUTH ANNE DICKERT

LAURA FIRMAN

MARABETH FREED

MICHAEL FREY

R. EDWARD GALLAGHER

DEWARD GARRETT

GEORGE GARMS

and Football Games Got Under Way:

MARGARET GRANFORS

NANA GUTHRIE

RONALD HALL

CAROLYN HAND

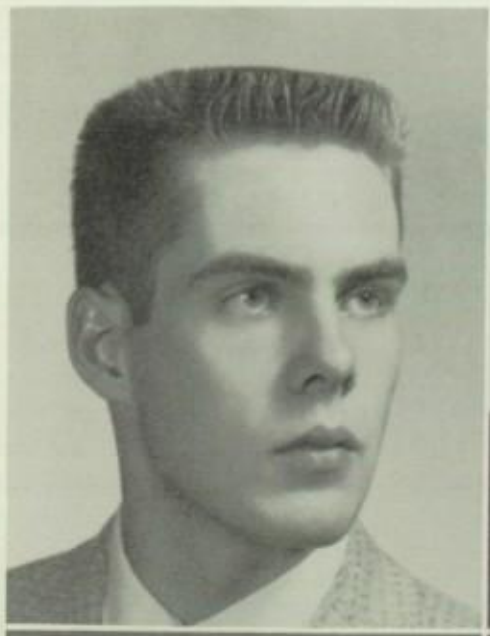
MARK HARRIS

RONALD HEATH

WILLIAM HEFFERNAN

L. JOAN HOFFMAN

Then, Inevitably, Began the Rush of Last-Minute



LEONARD HOLLEY

RUSSELL HOLLISTER

DAVID JOHNSON

ROGER HOWES

I. JEAN HOYT

DWIGHT JOHNSTON

BONNIE JONES

LINDA HUTCHINS

GEORGE JACKSON

DENNIS JORAM

Themes, and Hastily-Written Term Papers.

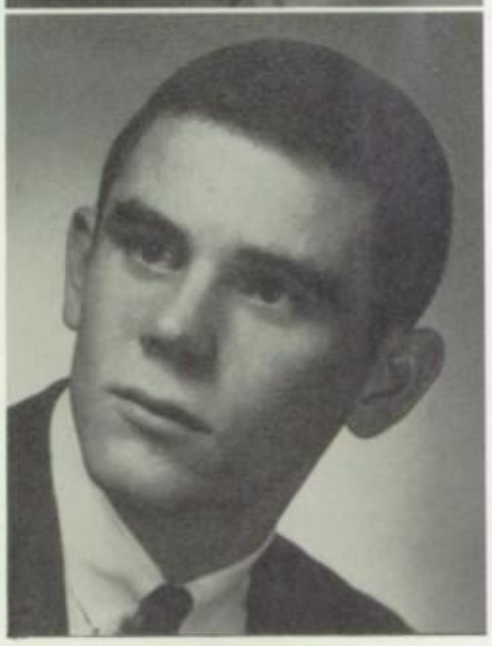
JAMES
KELLAY

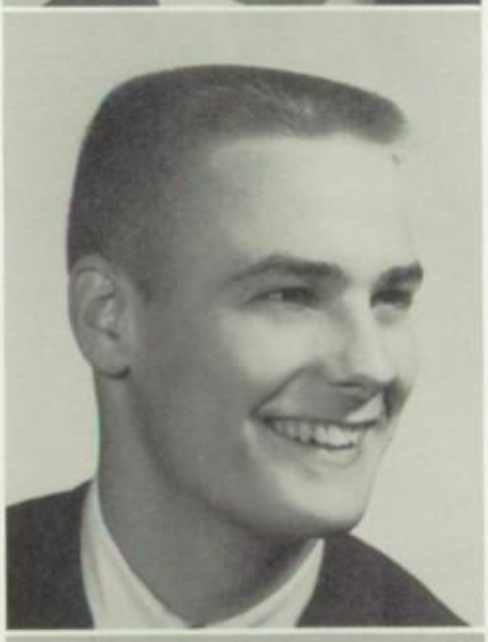
KENNETH
KYSER

SHARON
KELSO

RONALD
LAPEKAS

RICHARD
KILGORE





PATRICK
LAPHAM

DOUGLAS
KNIGHT

FRED
LATSHAW

DIANE LEATHERMAN

BEVERLY LeCLEAR

DERECK MARSHALL

JoANN McCOMB

Graduation Loomed Near as We Ordered Our Senior

DOUGLAS MURPHY

DIANIA PARKER

ELAINE PIERCE

RANDALL POPE

DAVID RANDALL

LINDA ROGERS

TERRY RUDD

DONALD RUGG

PATRICIA SABIN

SANDRA SCHNURSTEIN

Pictures, Announcements, and Planned for Our Senior Trip.

JOSEPH SCHLUBATIS

ROBERT SCOFIELD

NANCY SIMPSON

DONNA SPEAR

Graduation! — Our Goal at Last!

JANET SPICER

RICHARD STANLEY

JUDITH STRUNK

W. JERRY THOMPSON

THOMAS TROMBLEY

JACQUELINE VanVLEET

DONALD VIRE

PAMELA WELLS

Confidently, We Shall Face the Future

Richard Wells

Priscilla Wilson

Sharon Wood

Parris VanNoty

The big day is here and graduates stop to admire gowns and diplomas.

BEST LOOKING: Judy Strunk and Dick Stanley looked their best at the annual Christmas Dance, sponsored by the Senior Class.

BEST ALL-AROUND CLASSMATE: Janis Calladine and Ron Lapekas eagerly anticipated their class trip, which they had loyally supported.

MOST TALENTED: Joan Hoffman and Dyke Johnston often showed their artistic abilities by making posters and playing in the band.

MOST SCHOOL SPIRITED: Pam Wells and Roger Howes were ardent rooters throughout their high school years.

MOST DEPENDABLE: Nana Guthrie and Doug Knight proved their dependability many times by cheerfully helping out on class projects.

MOST ATHLETIC: Marty Bunce thrilled many with his spectacular football ability and Marilyn Ledbetter was a valuable asset to the girls' basketball team.

Senior Superlatives Inacted Highlights of Their Senior Year.

Early in the year, the Senior Class voted for the outstanding seniors who had contributed the most to their class or possessed special abilities. The categories ranged from best-looking, best all-around classmate to most likely to succeed. Being chosen as a senior superlative could certainly be classified as a distinguished honor.

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED: Carolyn Hand and Randy Pope are two of the most energetic seniors who are planning for their future.

MOST FLIRTATIOUS: Lockers were the best "flirting places" during our high school days. Chosen as most flirtatious were Russ Hollister and Elaine Pierce.

BEST PERSONALITY: Pleasant personalities described Pat Lapham and Joyce Bettuo, who were valuable in selling magazine subscriptions to raise money for senior class.

The Juniors Took Stubborn Pride in

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS
Jeff Yates Harriett Newell Eileen Zinke Bev Geiske

The Juniors elected Jeff Yates as president; Harriett Newell as vice-president; Eileen Zinke as secretary, and Bev Geiske as treasurer. Their main project for raising money was selling cupcakes during noon hour, which were donated by both the girls and the boys of the Junior Class. At the end of the year, in May, the Juniors sponsored the Junior-Senior Prom which was held in honor of the graduating Seniors.

The highlight of the busy year was the excitement and fun of ordering and finally receiving their class rings. They had been saving for their rings for months and their money and patience was well-worth the satisfaction they showed when the rings finally came.

Being Hailed as Upperclassmen

Judith Ackley

Thomas Ackley

Keith Adler

Harold Ashley

Dale Aleltine

John Aseltine

Patricia Bird

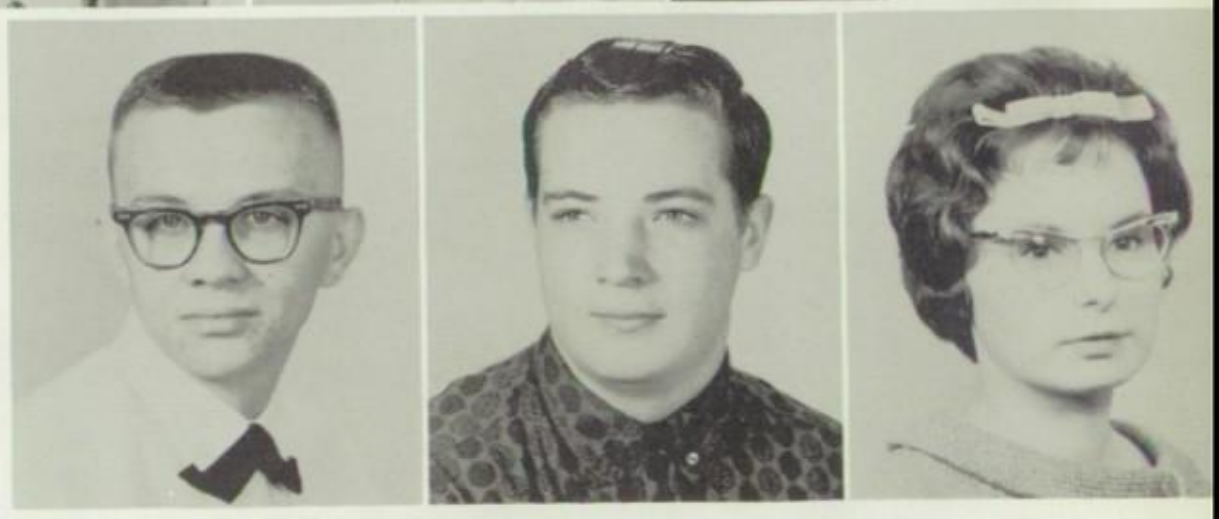
Nancy Bruce

Jack Buller

Joseph Bush

Ronald Campbell

Donald Carl



Thomas Carpenter

Franklin Cochensparger

Kathleen Crandall

Gilbert Douglas

Donald Dunn

Katherine Edgerton

Valle Elmendorf

Beverly Gieske

Karen Goddard

Roland Gothard

Marilyn Gothberg

Marietta Grant

Edward Greenfield

Sonya Gukis

Connie Hammond

Martha Heflin

Merrie Heflin

Gary Hoefler

Diane Hutchins

Carole Johnson

Ronald Johnson

gest Moment of Their Junior Year
me Upon Receiving Their Class Rings.

Gayle King

Gary Lantz

Rebecca Lapham

Thea Lewis

The rings made the juniors feel more like upperclassmen.

Dell Looper

Chester Lynd

Lee Ann Marcus

David McLeod

Janice Myers

Jeanette Miller

Ronald Moon

Shirley Morris

Hours of Work on the Junior-Senior

Nick Mudd

Larry Naramore

Harriett Newell

Danial Niswander

Judith Parsons

Donna Pope

Russell Potter

Marie Raymer

Edward Rocha

Upperclassmen play a big part in Pennfield's athletic program.

Janice Rogosz

Grace Rowse

Gary Rugg

Sandra Russell

Danial Shearer

Prom Were Not in Vain

R. Merle Spicer

Dixie Steele

Sharon Washburn

Joseph Stevens

Penny Wells

Phala Tanner

Richard Tessmer

Jeff Yates

Robert Thurgaland

Joseph Zima

Daniel Turley

Velma VanLiew

Eileen Zinke

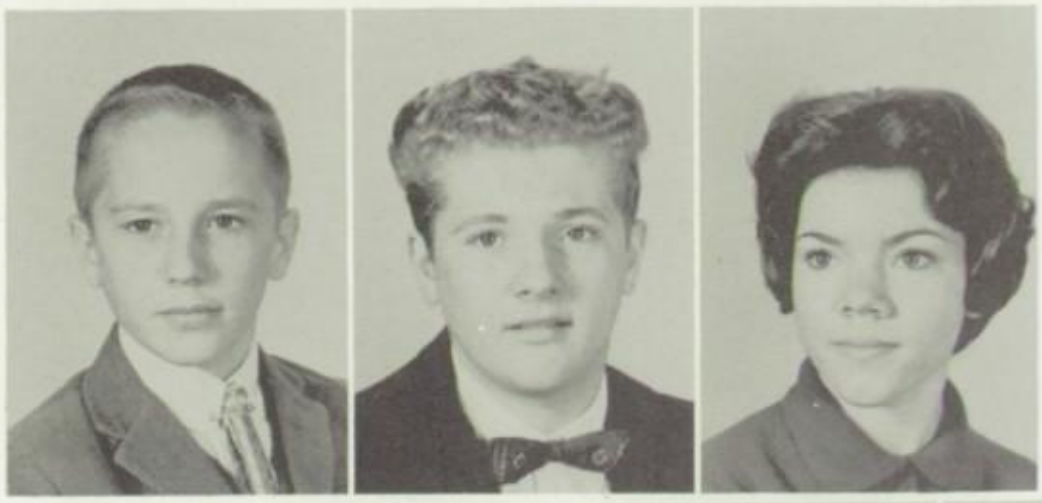
A Year's Experience Gave the

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS
Gary Johnston Ken Holley Dave Haylock and Sandy Grimm

Gary Johnston was elected as Sophomore Class President. Assisting him as Vice-President was Ken Holley; Treasurer, Dave Haylock; and Secretary, Sandy Grimm. The main activity of the Sophomores was the Initiation Dance that welcomed the freshmen into the high school.

The Class of '64 also participated in the Homecoming activities with the entry of their float. "We're Gonna Win!" was the spicy caption of their float. They also added to the school spirit by cheering lustily for their team.

Sophomores New Confidence



Paul Ashley
James Baggerly
Joan Barker

Brian Barnes
Nicki Bates
Barry Bearnish

Judith Bell
Douglas Boyer
Lawrence Brewer

Janice Brugh
Bernie Bunce
Caroline Bush

Leon Church
Robert Collins
Joan Coone

The Sophomore School

Elverta Cupps
Kathie Daly
Lynn Dechow

Ruth Ann Denny
Arthur DeNooyer
David Eccles

Patricia Gallagher
Sue Ann Gassar
John Gieske

Laura Gieske
David Gnadt
Cheryl Graves

Janet Greenfield
Sandra Grimm
Gary Hall

Barbara Hallaxs
Diane Hammond
David Haylock

Class WasActive in All Functions and Activities

Kathleen Henry

Gail Herrington

Danial Higgs

Claude Hinton

Poor Freshman bowed
low before Sophomores.

Kathleen Hoffman

Kenneth Holley

Thomas Holmgren

Linda Hooper

David Howes

Phillip Howes

Robert Ingold

Carroll Johnson

Gary Johnston

Berta Jones

Sally Kidney

Patricia King

Janet McAllan

Sharon McCann

Kathleen Lake

Carole Lane

Linda Lantz

Barry McCarthy

Jerry Messenger

Dennis Latshaw

Scott Lyon

Lawrence MacPherson

Robert Meyer

Devote to Their Studies

Scott Morris

Dennis Mudd

Susan Munson

Greggory Nelson

Alan Newcomer

Russell Newell

Jerry Newton

David Nye

Maynard Oberlin

Ronald Olsen

Paul Orr

Robert Parker

Dale Parkey

Roger Philo

Yvonne Phinisey

Charles Pierce

Janice Pixley

William Powell
Helen Randall
Dennis Rappaport

Charles Reitsma
Stanley Richards
S. Faye Rouch

Spring Athletics Drew Large

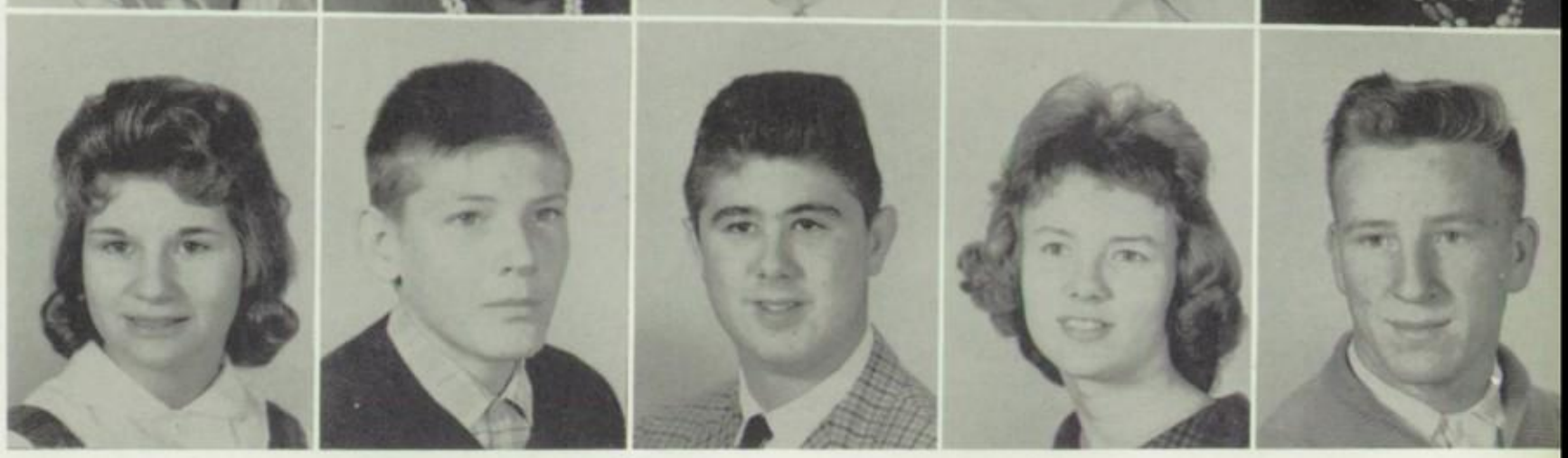
Even though their float came in last,
it still showed alot of hard work.

Sandra Rugg
Diane Scofield
Judith Sivits
Carol Smith

Daniel Smith
Peggy Snook
Suzanne Snyder
Peggy Steele

George Stichler
Laural Stine
Genneva Swafford
Sonja Swanson
Terry Tack

Judie Thomas
Rick Thompson
Joe Tort
Carol VandenHeuval
David VanDorsten



Crowds of Sophomore Rooters.

The Sophomores showed alot of school spirit in remaining behind the Panthers, winning or losing.

Judy Weaver

David Webb
Dianne Wilbur
Sharlene Wood
Donna Worgess
Linda Yates

New Arrivals to Pennfield

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS
Melody Lane Sharon Outman Rodney Webster Carmel Monti and Billy Simpson

The youngest class of Pennfield High elected Carmel Monti as their President; Rodney Webster as Vice-President; Melody Lane as Secretary; Sharon Outman as Treasurer, and Billy Simpson as Class Reporter. They soon showed their eagerness to be part of high school life by participating in many organizations such as the Pep Club and Jets Club. Many volunteered to support their team by selling Panther pennants and few failed to show up at the games. In November, the frosh sponsored their annual dance, adding funds to their meager treasury.

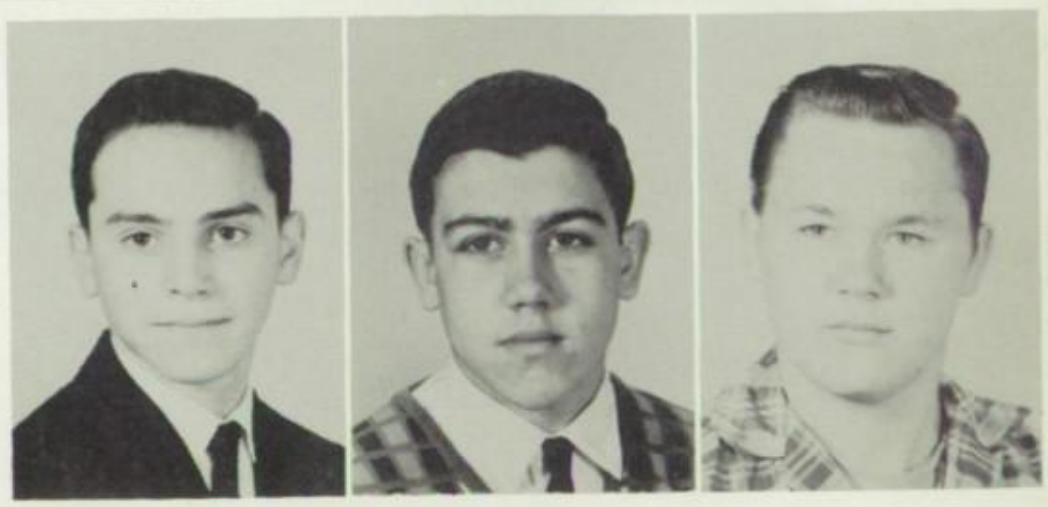
Soon Took Part in High School Life

Hollis Adams
Lee Anderson
Terry Anderson

David Aseltine
Paula Backus
Jeanie Bacon

Darlene Bates
Beverly Beard
Karl Behnke

Hazel Benton
Terry Berkly
Steve Bettuo



Dwight Bird
Mike Blomers
George Bousher

They Became

Charlene Bonney
Steve Brady
Franklin Brooks

Sandra Brown
Donald Burton
Linda Bush

Marie Bush
Michael Canteberry
Troy Cantrell

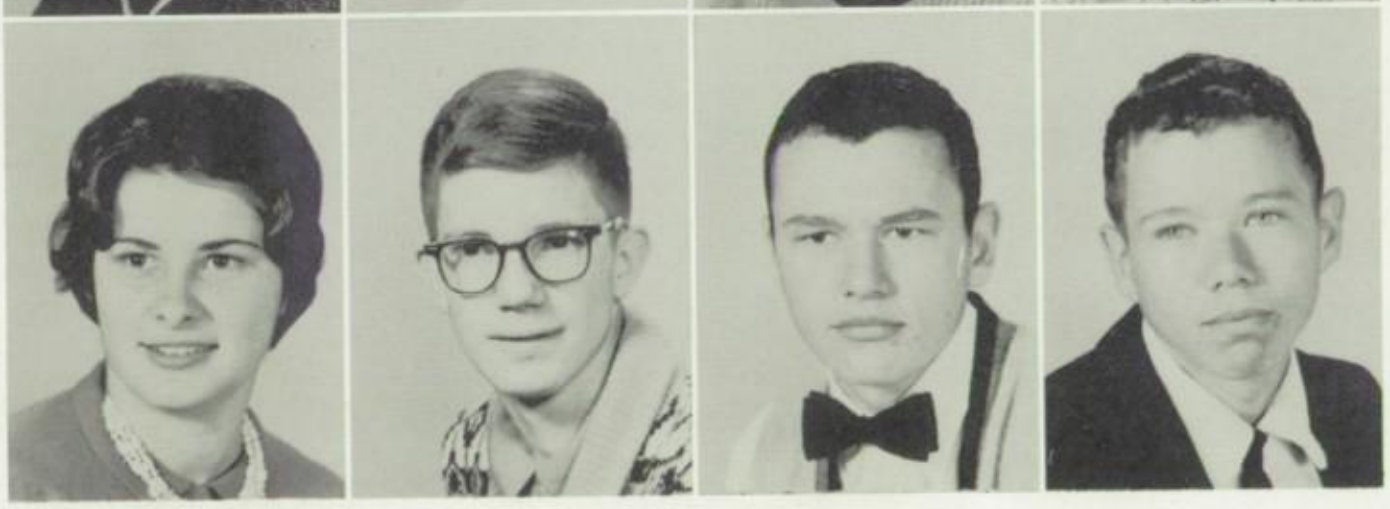
Richard Carpenter
Robert Catlow
Thomas Cavinder

Susan Chalmers
Donald Chaput
Charles Clark

Eileen Connelly
Donna Crandall
Jonathan Cowles

Gail Coy
David Daly
Dorothy Day
John DeVoll

Richard Dingledine
Linda Draime
Lidsay Draime
Robert Eaton



Joyce Edgar
Thomas Edmonds
Fredrick Everett
William Everett

Sandra Fairchild
David Firestone
Ronald Fleming
Andrew Freemire

Jack Gardner
Gary Gorton
Ronald Greenfield
David Gross
James Gukis

Freshman Initiation Day Proved to Be

Tavo Guthrie

Donald Hall

Gary Hammond

David Hutchins

Sidney Hayes

Steven Higgs

Linda Hoag

Eugene Hutchins

Jeanette Hoffman

John Hooper

Sheri Hover

Glenwood Jessup

Randall Jewell

Dale Hopkins

Carolyn Hoyt

Philip Humeston

Frank Johnson

More Fun Than Was Anticipated.

David Jones

Thomas Kareckas

Kenneth Kelly

Dennis Kunz

Joyce Kuzma

Terry Kemerling

James Kerr

Virginia Kilgore

Anita Lake

Melody Lane

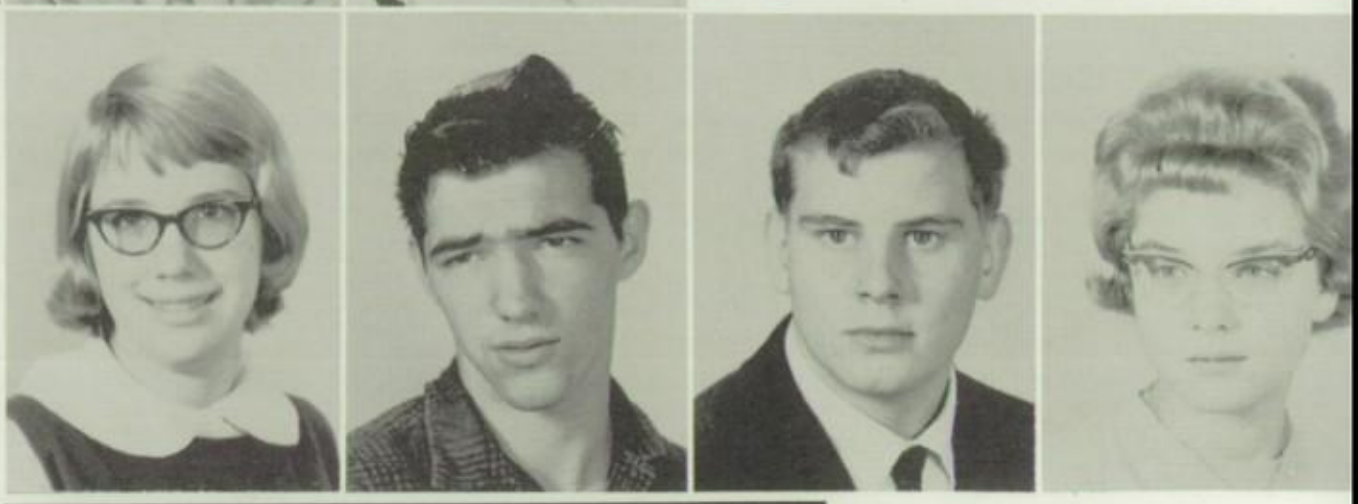
Jerry Kirkbride

Thomas Knox

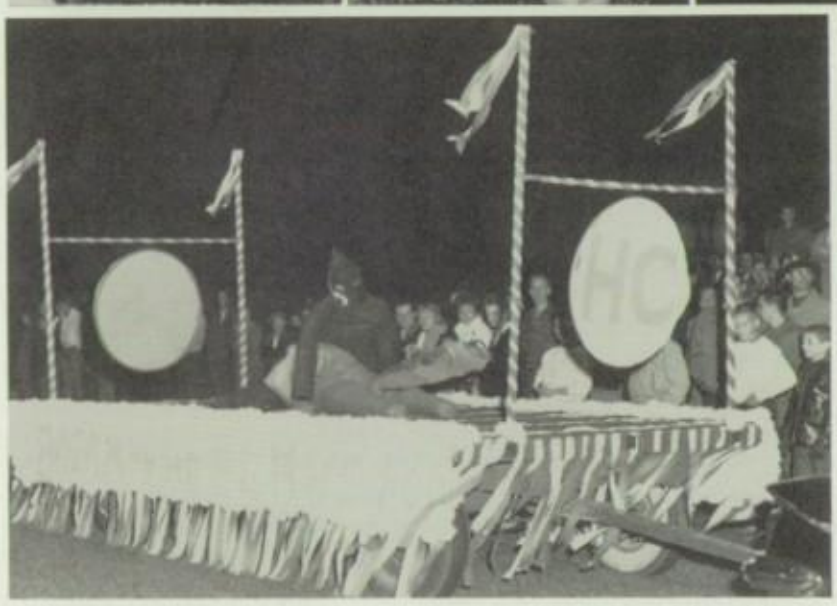
Lawerence Koontz

James Lapekas

Mary Lapham
S. Leckrone
Dale LewAllen
Ruth Lindsey



Christine Lund
Lester Lynd
Richard Lytle
Debbie Maiolo



The Freshman entry in the Homecoming Parade with the theme, "Break the Beavers!"

The Fr
Fina

Sandra McClam
Edward McClain
Thomas McClure
June McDonald

Norma Miller
Patrick Miller
Carmel Monti
Robert Mugridge

Judith Newton
Dawn Norris
Beverly Norton
Charles Norton
Charles Norton

Kenneth Oberlin
Carol O'Brian
Terry Odette
Wendell Orton
Sharon Outman

eshman Dance Supplied Needed
nces to the Treasury.

Gregory Palmer
Jane Parrott
Rhonda Peck

Sharon Pierce
David Prideaux
Larry Porter
Richard Provost
Douglas Pulver

Mike Randels
Allen Rassmussen
Victoria Reynolds
Jill Ridpath
Phillip Roberts

"Frosh" Became Accustomed to High School Life by End of Year.

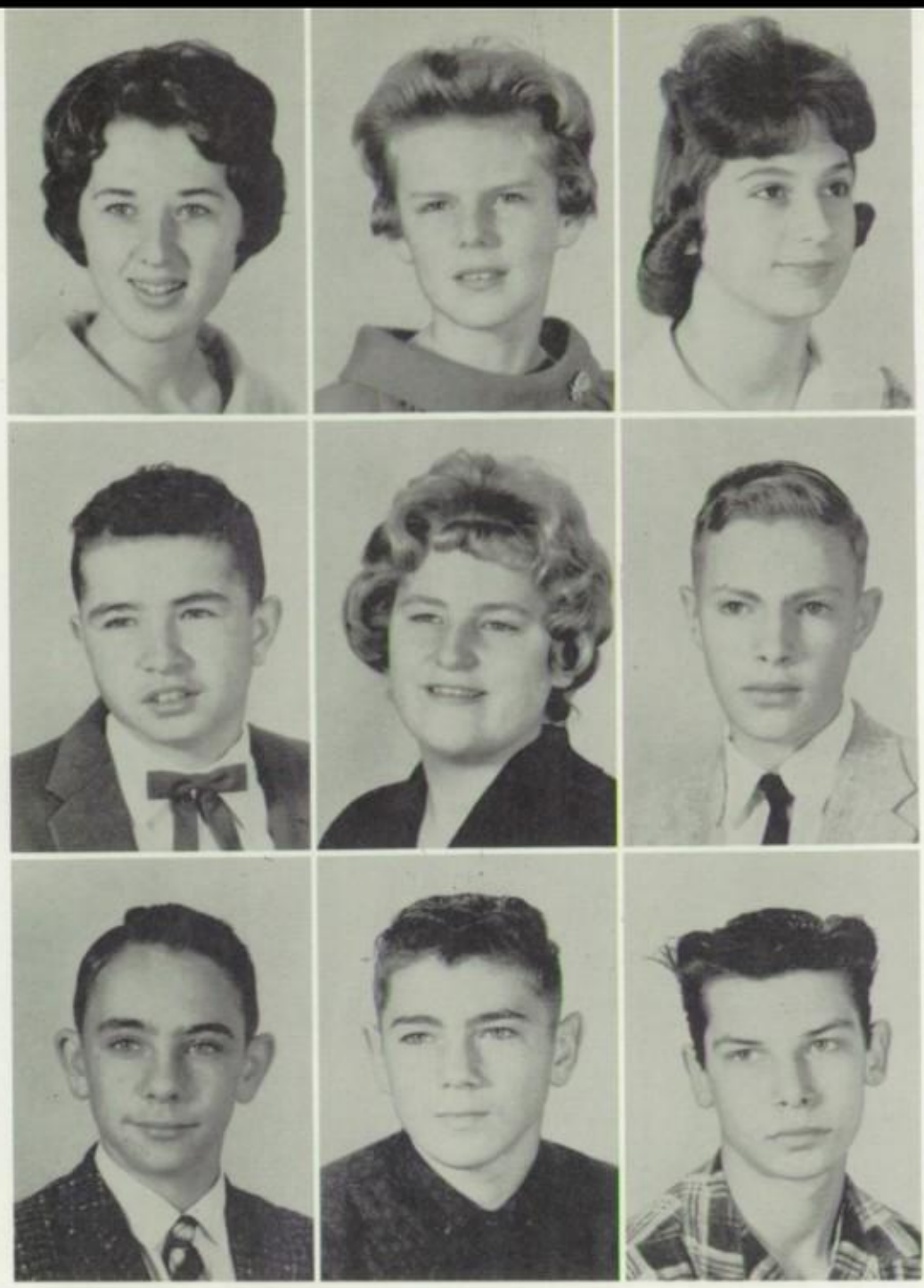
Joyce Rogosz
Robert Roush
Sue Ann Ruble

Larry Sanderson
Larry Shaver
Sandra Shaver

Violet Synder
Sandra Southern
Stephen Spalsbury

Diana Spruill
Betty Lou Strunk
Rebecca Summerfield

James Taylor
Pamela Tedrow
Diane Terry



Paula Thompson
Bonnie Thorson
Sharon Tiffany

Steven Tullis
Kathy VanDaff
Richard Vanlen

Kenneth Walker
Michael Ward
Robert Way

Daniel Weaver
Dale Webster
Dennis Weigand

Carolyn West
Daniel Whaley
Bette Whitcomb

Edward Winters
Ruth Ann Witmer
Alan Young

Athletics play an infinite role in campus life at Pennfield. All athletic contests are well-attended, and there is an impetuous force of enthusiasm on the part of the spectators.

As they cross the threshold of a new school year, students look forward with anticipation to a year of athletic activities. The bright hopes of undefeated seasons linger in the minds of players and students alike.

The Cereal Center Conference results in a competition which would be compared with the rivalry existing among nations. Pennfield is one of many schools that is a member of this conference. Basketball, football, track, tennis, and baseball contests are fought with unmatched zest and zeal. Coaches and players alike spend hours practicing the fundamentals of sports.

High school sports' life offers such fruits as responsibility, good sportsmanship, and competitiveness that will be essential in adult life.

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THE FLOYD PATTERSON HIS FRIENDS KNOW
FOOTBALL FEATURES
ERNIE DAVIS BIG MAN ON THE SYRACUSE CAMPUS
THE MARVELOUS McKEEVERS
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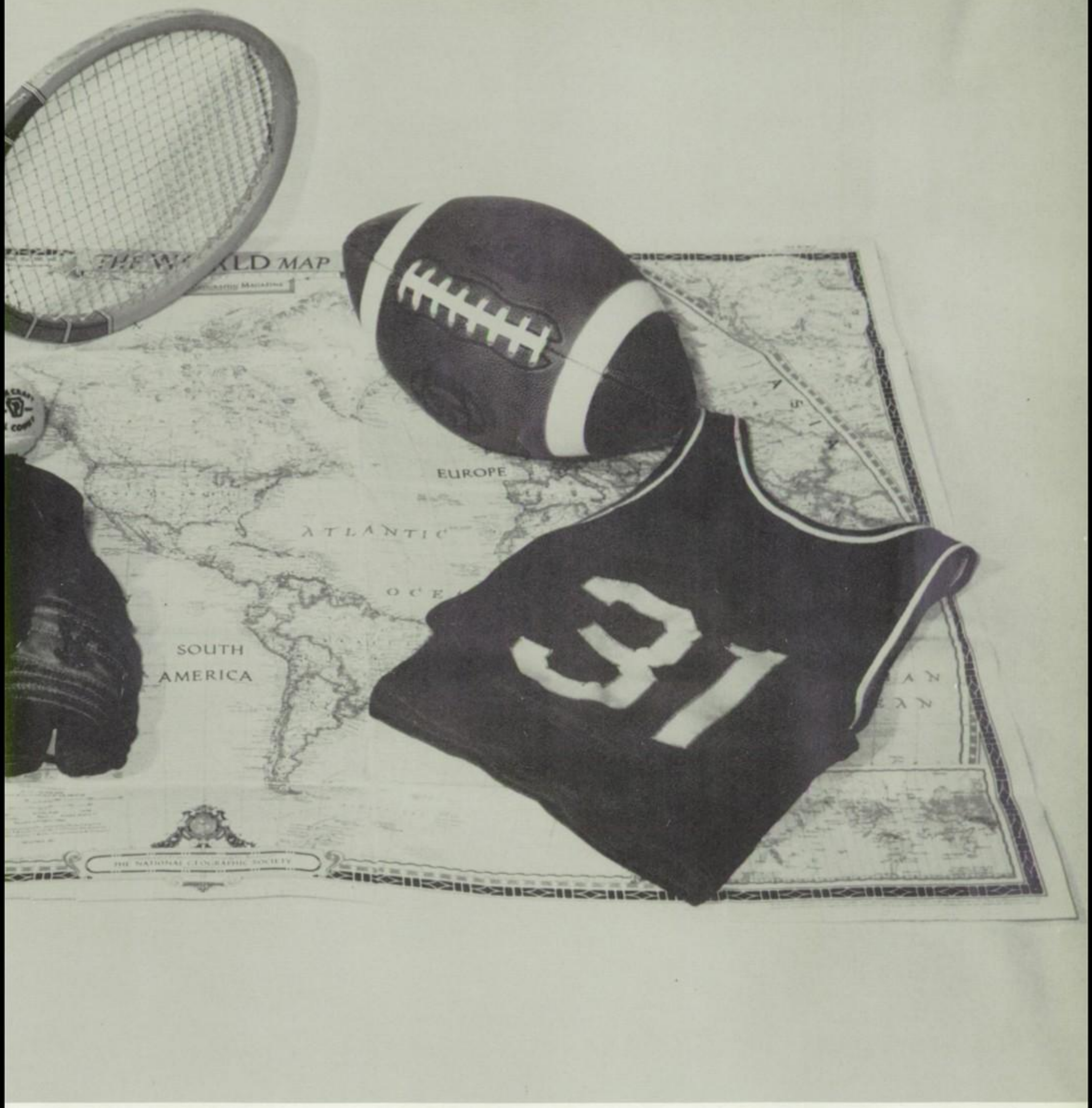
Panther Teams



Set World-Pacing Records

Energetic and Peppy Cheerleaders

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

The cheerleader has long been hailed as the teams' most ardent and loyal fan. Pennfield's five peppy cheerleaders are no exception; rain, snow, or sleet has yet to dim their lusty cheers. The varsity cheerleading squad was chosen at the end of the year by the high school faculty, the Pep Club adviser and the coaches. Each girl was chosen on appearance, spirit, voice, and attitude. This year, the varsity squad is composed of four juniors: Becky Lapham, Shirley Morris, Harriett Newell, Kay Edgerton and one senior, Janis Calladine. Cheering along with these girls, is Bonnie Thorson, team mascot.

Cheerleading Squad: Sandy Russell, Mary Lapham, Marilyn Gothberg, Violet Snyder, Bonnie

Varsity Cheerleaders: Harriett Newell, Janis Calladine, Shirley Morris, Becky Lapham, Kay Edgerton.

Mascot

Are the Teams Most Loyal Rooters

Thorson, Harriett Newell, Janis Calladine, Becky Lapham, Shirley Morris, Kay Edgerton.

JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

Cheering the little Pennmen on, are the girls on the junior varsity squad: Mary Lapham, Violet Snyder, Marilyn Gothberg, and Sandy Russell. On Wednesday afternoon, the cheerleaders are always busy practicing, making up new cheers, and perfecting old ones. Precision and timing are the key traits of a good cheerleader. The junior varsity cheerleaders are garbed in the traditional green and white outfits but they soon hope to be able to purchase new ones. Both squads work together to support their teams and promote school spirit.

Junior Varsity Cheerleaders: Violet Snyder, Marilyn Gothberg, Mary Lapham, Sandy Russell.

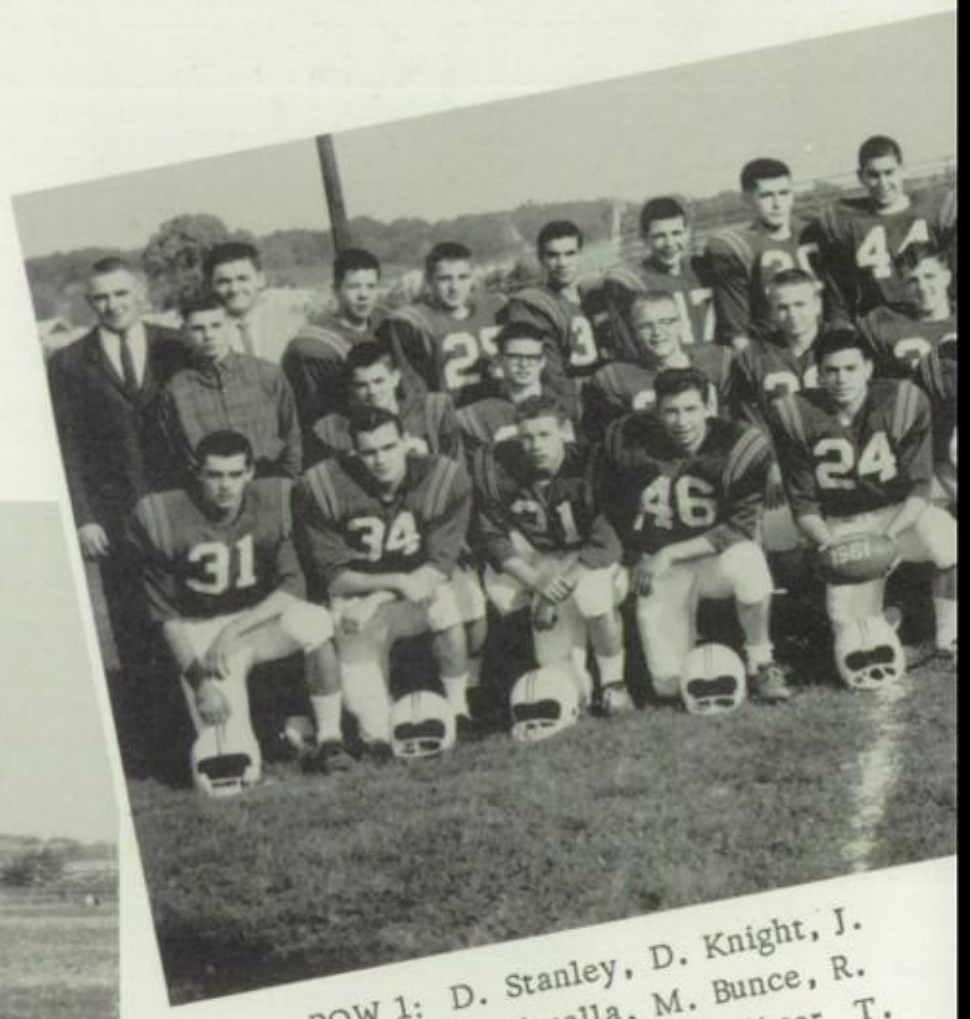
Bonnie Thorson.

Panthers End on the

This year's football team has completed a fairly successful season although it was a slight letdown to the previous two seasons in which we won the C.C.C. championship.

After losing their second game since beating Comstock (this included losing to arch rival St. Phillip), Coach Dean Moore installed the new shotgun type of offense for the climax game. It proved a little ineffective as they defeated us (19-7). But, a week later with the experience of one game under their belts they beat Bellevue (32-26). After that we returned to our doldrums of trying to pick ourselves off the ground by losing to Olivet.

We had some outstanding players on this year's squad. We were thrilled many times with the sparkling running of Marty Bunce, and the fine pass receiving of Jim Kellay and Terry Rudd. This year's line was a powerful one, with such players as Doug Knight, Ron Lapekas, Dick Stanley, Jeff Yates, and Gary Johnston.



ROW 1: D. Stanley, D. Knight, J. Kellay, J. Kinsella, M. Bunce, R. Lapekas, R. Wells, R. Hollister, T. Rudd. ROW 2: Coach Dittmer, D. Haylock, B. Barnes, S. Bettuo, T. Holmgren, D. Latshaw, C. Coy, M. Bloomers, J. Kerr, G. Rugg, A. De-

Halfback Jim Kellay

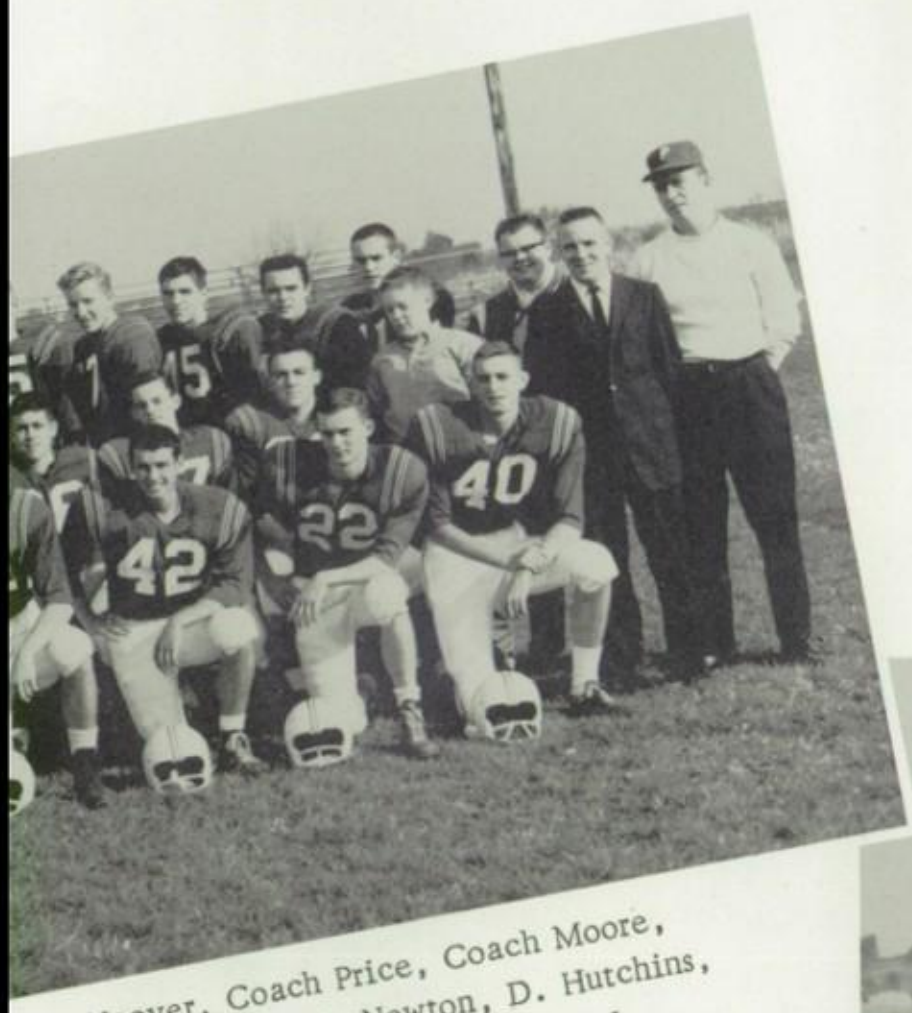
Halfback Marty Bunce

End Terry Rudd

Lineman Ron Lapekas

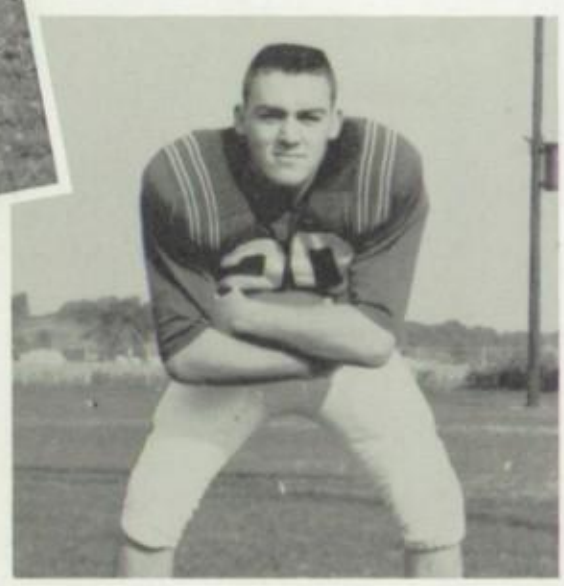
Lineman Doug Knight

ure Rough Season
Gridiron.



Nooyer, Coach Price, Coach Moore, Coach Perky, J. Newton, D. Hutchins, J. Cowles, D. Higgs, J. Yates, L. Naramore, G. Johnston, D. VanDorsten, C. Lynd, G. Douglas, H. Ashley, S. Bancroft.

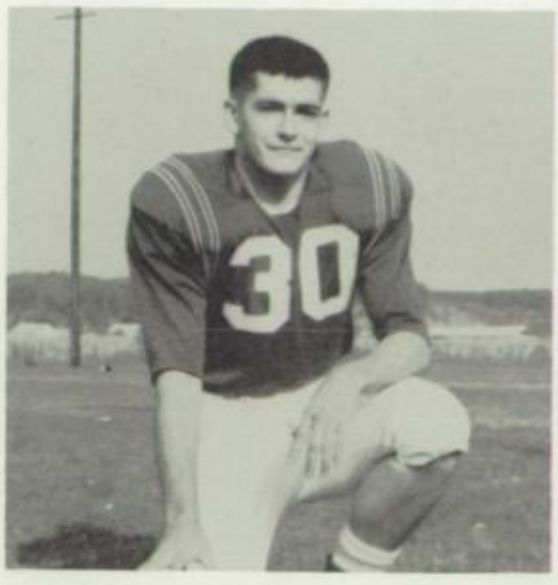
Fullback Jim Kinsella



Fullback Gary Rugg

Quarterback Rick Wells

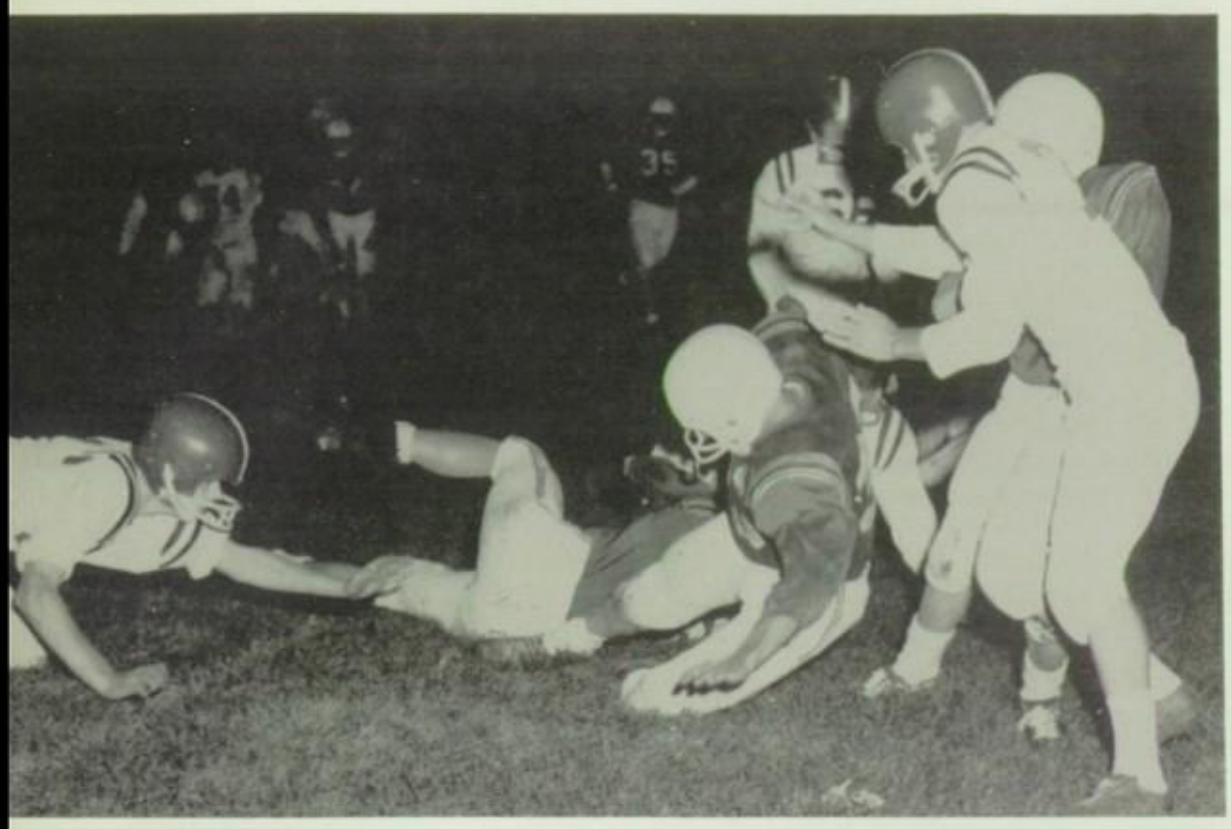
Lineman Dick Stanley



Lineman Jeff Yates

End Russ Hollister

Panthers Boast of Hard-Fought Battles!



PENNFIELD	OPPONENT	
32	Comstock	12
2	St. Philips	32
6	Harper Creek	12
7	Climax	19
33	Bellevue	26
13	Olivet	18
0	Albion	26
45	Springfield	32
31	Nashville	0

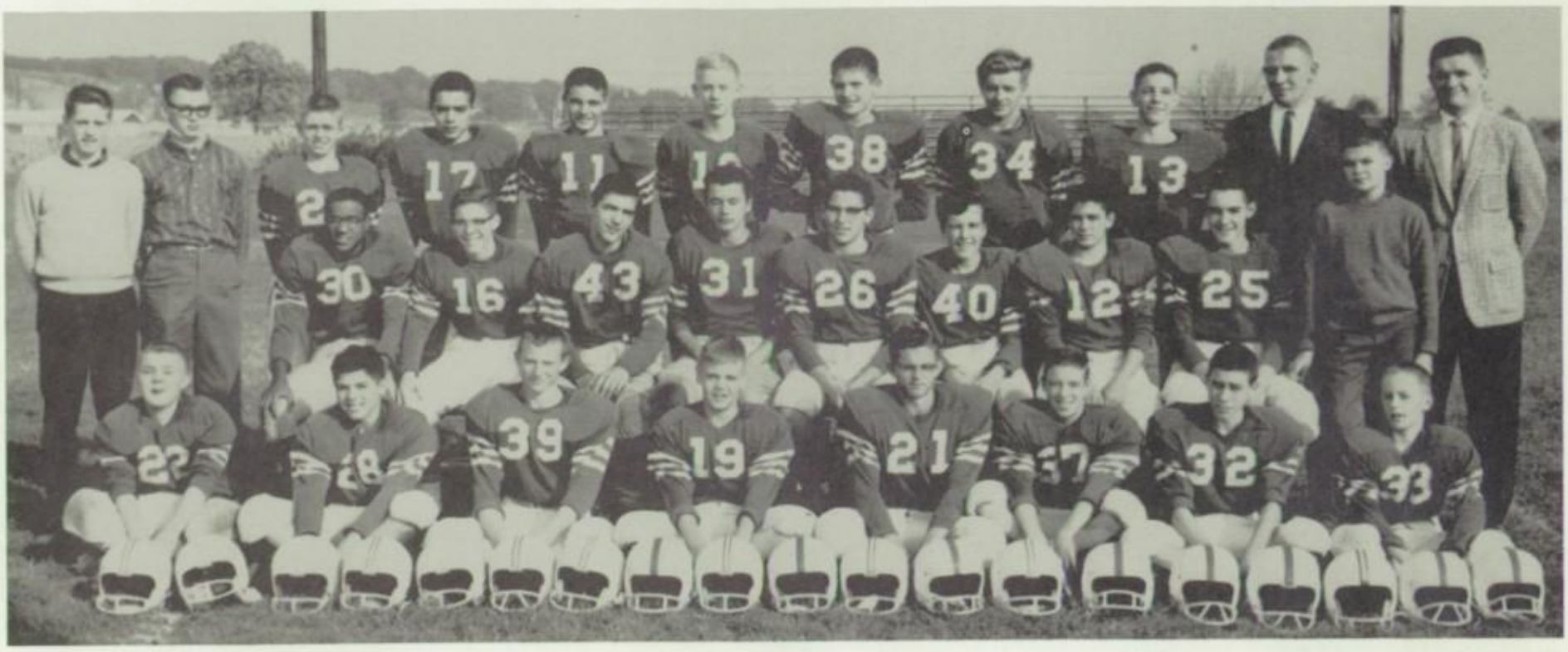
Pennfield gained valuable yardage, despite hard tumble. In back ground are Marty Bunce (24) and Gary Johnston (35).

Marty Bunce breaks loose for a long-gain run; helped by able blockers Dick Stanley (31) and Jim Kinsella (20).

Jim Kellay and Russ Hollister move in for the tackle with Jeff Yates and Clair Coy in fast pursuit.

Ron Lapekas eludes a would-be blocker while Jeff Yates (30) and Gary Johnston (35) run down the ball carrier.

"Little Gridders" Show Great Promise.



ROW 1: P. Orr, P. Humeston, J. Gardner, D. Prideaux, T. Berkley, G. Nelson, D. Rappaport, P. Ashley. ROW 2: L. Brewer, G. Palmer, L. Lynd, F. Everett, J. Lapekas, D. Nye, B. Bunce, S. Higgs, J. Messenger. ROW 3: P. Miller, D. Chaput, D. Parkey, J. Buller, G. Gorton, C. Pierce, D. Gnadt, R. VanDorsten, H. Adams, Mr. Dittmer, Mr. Purkey.

The Freshman football team and the reserve football team both showed a great deal of promise in their various contests. The reserve team, under the leadership of Mr. Dittmer and Mr. Purkey, excelled mostly in their brilliant ground plays. The team finished a very good season, acquiring second place in the reserve football league.

The freshman team also showed definite promise to emerge as one of Pennfield's championship football teams.

ROW 1: Mr. Dittmer, D. Chaput, D. Daly, L. Anderson, Mr. Purkey. ROW 2: P. Humeston, J. Gardner, D. Rasmussen, E. Hutchins. ROW 3: T. Guthrie, D. Gross, D. Prideaux, B. Roush, T. Cantrell. ROW 4: D. Jones, F. Palmer, G. Kirkbride, E. Winters. ROW 5: T. Berkley, H. Adams, B. Lytle, G. Gorton. ROW 6: S. Higgs, F. Evertt, T. Knox, J. Lapekas.

Panthers Rated as Top Con

With six seniors and five juniors on the squad, Coach Ed Adams did a superb job of leading the Panthers to a most successful season. Backed by the will to win and fair school spirit on the part of the fans, the boys went all out to comprise an admirable record in the win-loss column.

During this season, the man to man defense was used and worked very well. A full court press was used only when necessary. When it was employed, it was quite effective. Pennfield was proud to claim that four of its players were ranked among the top ten in city scoring.

The Pennmen established themselves as a basketball power in the Cereal Center Conference by battling Harper Creek right down to the wire for the championship.

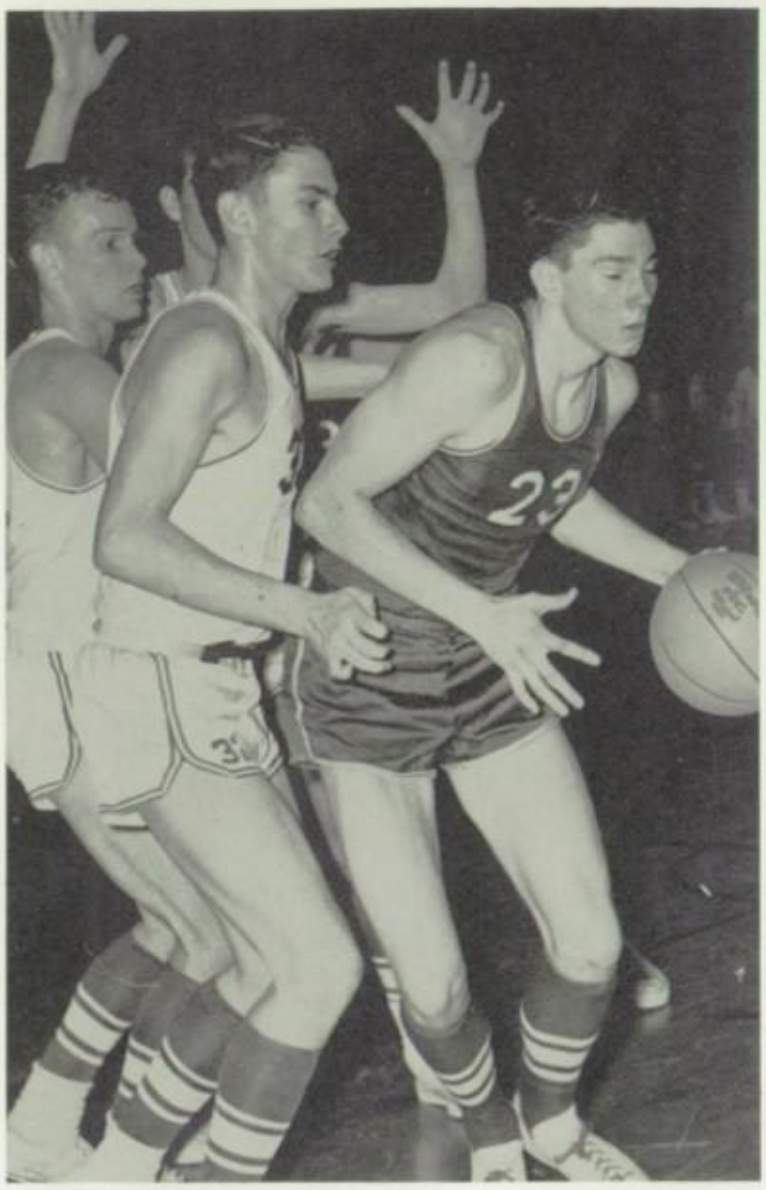
Climaxing the last game to be played in the cracker box gymnasium, the Pennfield cagers set an all time record for the CCC and the city of Battle Creek. The players hit a record score of 109 to 66 against the Climax-Scotts.

It is certain that Pennfield will continue to be an important competitor in the future with a fine group of young ball players coming up from the ranks of the reserves. These men will be backed by some of the seasoned players who will be returning next season. A prosperous year was realized only by the combination of enthusiasm, determination, loyalty, stamina, and hard work on the part of all the members of the team.

Pennfield	Opponent
38	Marshall - - - - - - - - - - 42
57	Springfield - - - - - - - - - 52
61	St. Philip - - - - - - - - - 50
48	Bellevue - - - - - - - - - - 39
67	Olivet - - - - - - - - - - - 39
73	Climax - - - - - - - - - - 48
70	Harper Creek - - - - - - - 72
80	St. Philip - - - - - - - - - 51
87	Springfield - - - - - - - - 68
64	Homer - - - - - - - - - - - 71
65	Bellevue - - - - - - - - - - 37
65	Olivet - - - - - - - - - - - 35
109	Climax - - - - - - - - - - 66
72	Marshall - - - - - - - - - - 80

ROW 1: S. Cochensparger, R. Wells, D. McLeod, T. Rudd, J. Zima, J. Kellay, J. Baggerly. ROW 2: E. Adams, R. Potter, R. Campbell, T. Trombley, R. Pope, J. Thompson, D. Turley, J. Yates, P. Lapham, D. Purkey.

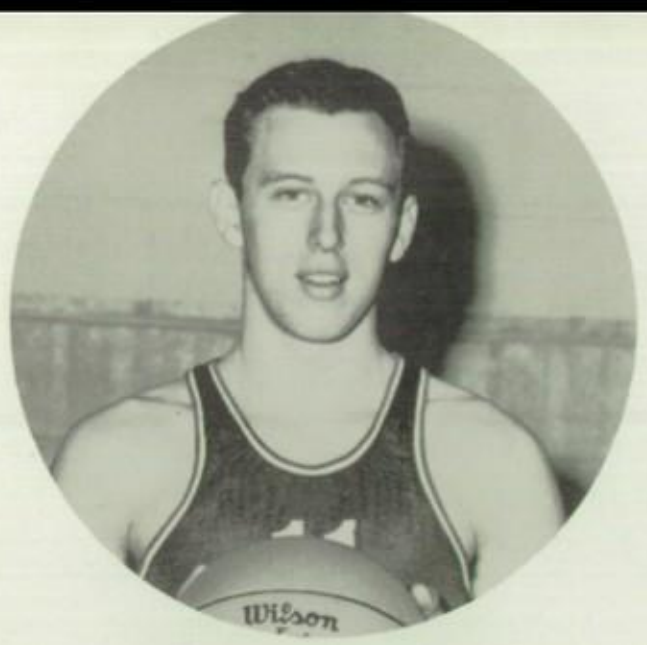
tenders in CCC Competition



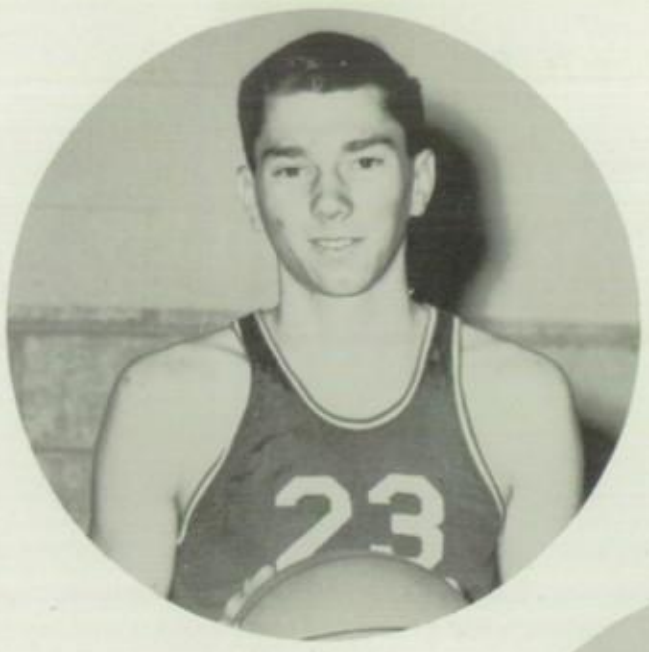
Joe Zima dribbles past his opponents in a record-breaking game which we won, 86-50.

Ted Perry (11), of St. Philip, drives past Jim Kellay for a basket attempt.

Pennfield defenders line up to block Arnold Willis (30), of Marshall, in our first game of the season.



Dave McLeod



Joe Zima

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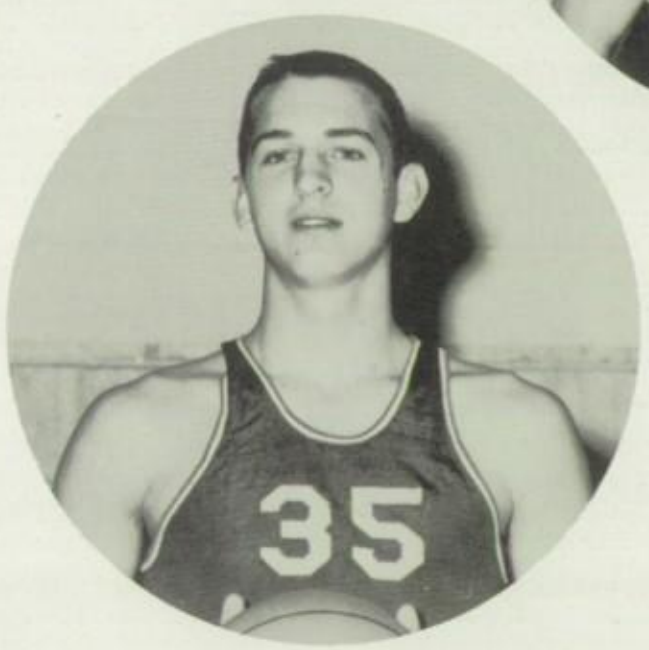
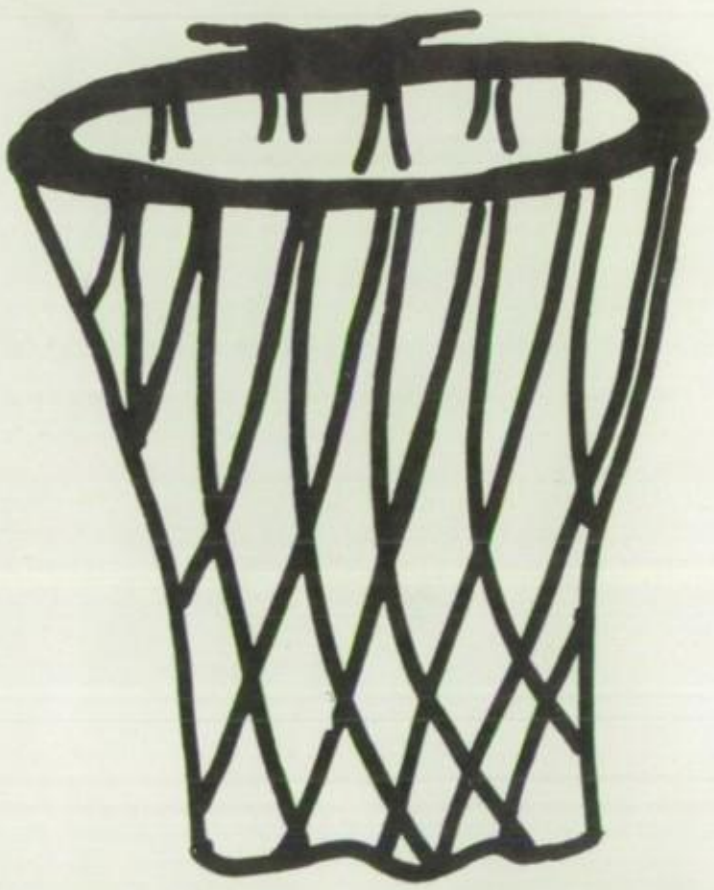


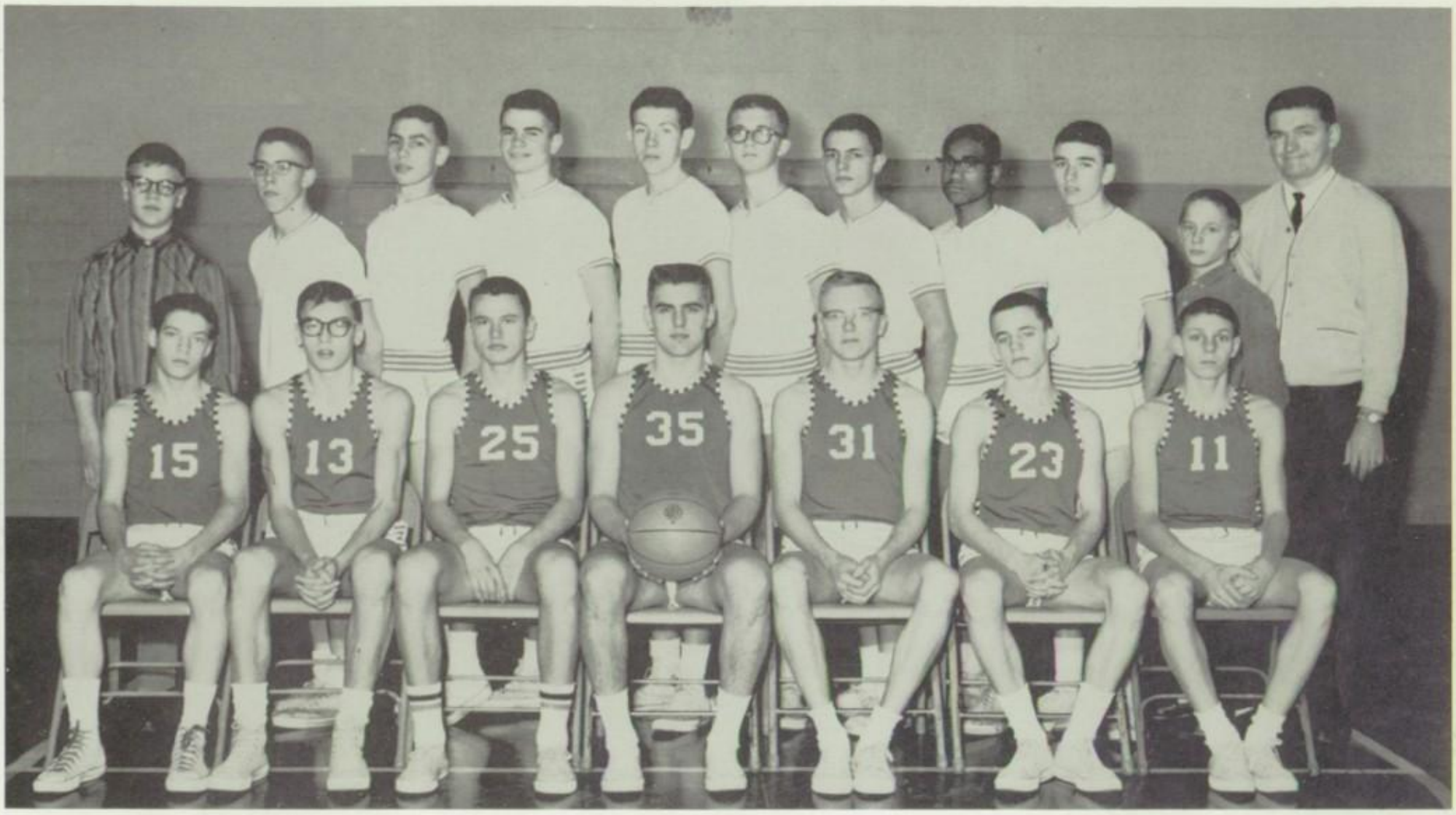
Terry Rudd

Ron Campbell

Dan Turley



Determination Plus Stamina Equals Success



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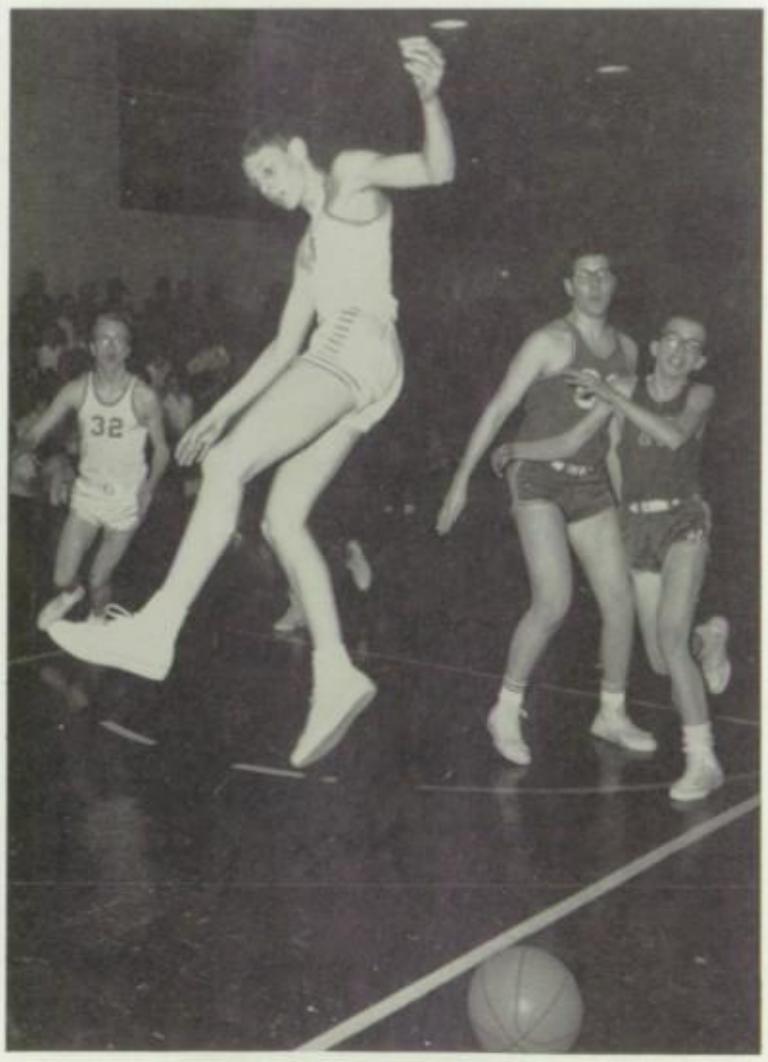


Toe the line, Dave boy.

The Junior Varsity Basketball team showed an exceptional record during the past season, dropping only one contest. They showed promising ability and skill under their new coach, Dale Purkey. Because of the excellent turnout of freshmen and sophomores, Pennfield hopes to produce an even better team in the future. The little Panthers were unequalled in defense and aggressiveness.

Tom Knox gets set for a quick relay.

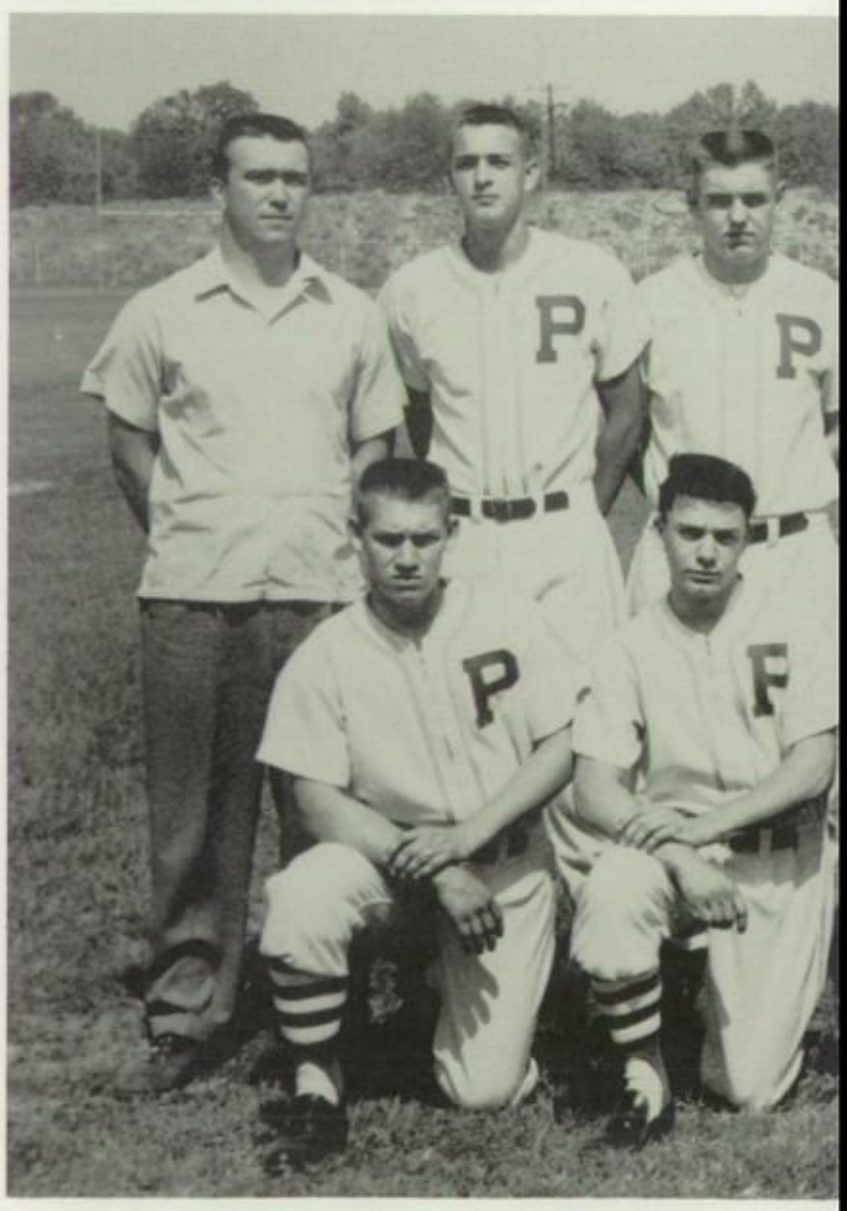
Pitcher Rick Wells

Coach Moore gives instruction on baseball techniques.

3rd Base Dave McLeod

Pennfield's Mighty

Outfield Marty Bunce

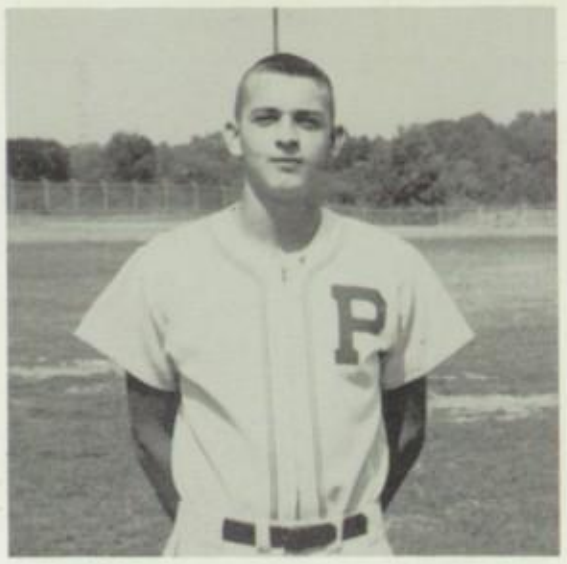


ROW 1: R. Tuttle, M. Bunce, J. Kellay, J. Buller, R. Wells, S. Cochenspager.
ROW 2: Coach Moore, T. Rudd, G. John-

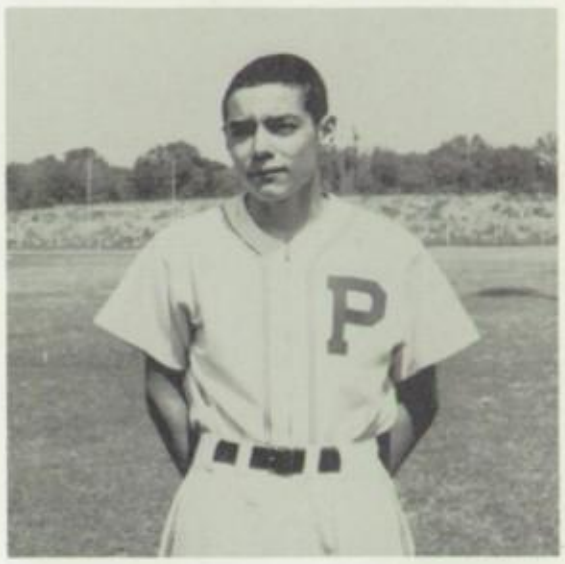
Short Stop Jim Kellay

The Baseball team completed a fairly successful season of eight wins and seven losses. Rick Wells was the only member of the team to make all-conference. However, Ed Lapekas received honorable mention. Rick Wells led the Panther sluggers in runs batted in. Terry Rudd, junior catcher, led the club in stolen bases, with a total of eleven steals.

The team was young and inexperienced this year, but Coach Dean Moore did an excellent job in rebuilding the team for a more successful season.



Catcher Terry Rudd



2nd Base Jack Buller

Caseys of Tomorrow

ston, D. Turley, L. Naramore, H. Ashley, D. McLeod.

Outfield Dan Turley

Outfield Gary Johnston

Harriers Set the Pace for

Ron Lapekas comes bounding over the hurdles!

Under the guidance of Mr. Price, the track team trotted to a mediocre record of one win and five losses. There was a brighter side though, as Gary Rugg set an all time state record for Class C schools in the shot put. Rugg's winning distance for the shot put

ROW 1: D. Haylock, D. Rappaport, G. Rugg, D. Knight, J. Yates, P. Lapham, R. Lapekas, M. Frey, M. Bunce, C. Hinton, B. Barnes, K. Holley. ROW 2: J. Schlubates, J. Kinsella, C. Lynd, R. Johnson, D. Dunn, B. Meyer, G. Miller, G. Douglas, K. Ky-

Gary Rugg's winning form that enabled him to place in state competition.

Conference Records

was fifty four feet and two and one half inches. Mike Frey tied the Conference record in the 100 yard dash. Although the boys gave it all they had, the track team wound up fifth in the conference standings.

Marty Bunce, Jeff Yates, Doug Knight, and Mike Frey get set for a practice relay.

ser, T. Morey, D. Parkey. ROW 3: Coach Price, L. Brewer, D. Eccles, J. Humeston, R. Moon, D. VanDorsten, E. Greenfield, N. Mudd, T. Holmgren, B. Collins, J. Baggerly, J. Cowles.

Pat Lapham is ready to try the pole vault.

"Swingin'" Panthers End Successful Season

ROW 1: J. Messenger, B. Bunce, T. Morey, J. Struwin, R. Olson, S. Lyon. ROW 2: D. Herick, J. Edgerton, P. McGinnis, R. Pope, S. Bancroft, R. Heath, Coach Hendrickson.

This year's tennis team was composed mostly of underclassmen but they showed a lot of good potential and wound up a fair season of three wins and five losses.

The teams we defeated are as follows: Harper Creek, twice; and Springfield, once. The teams we lost to are as follows: Hickory Corners, twice; Galesburg Augusta, once; Springfield, once; and Richland, once.

According to the coach, Mr. Hendrickson, we should have a really terrific team in a couple of years.

Jack Struwin,
Number one singles

Paul McGinnis and Tom Morey,
Number one doubles

Randall Pope,
Number two singles

Girls Display Skill at Basketball

Last year the girls' basketball team was divided into four groups. They were distinguished by titles such as "Unteachables," "Crazy 8's", and "Bronzy Girls".

Intramurals were held among the various teams and each team participated in tournament competition. At the end of the year the championship team was honored at the All-Sports Banquet.

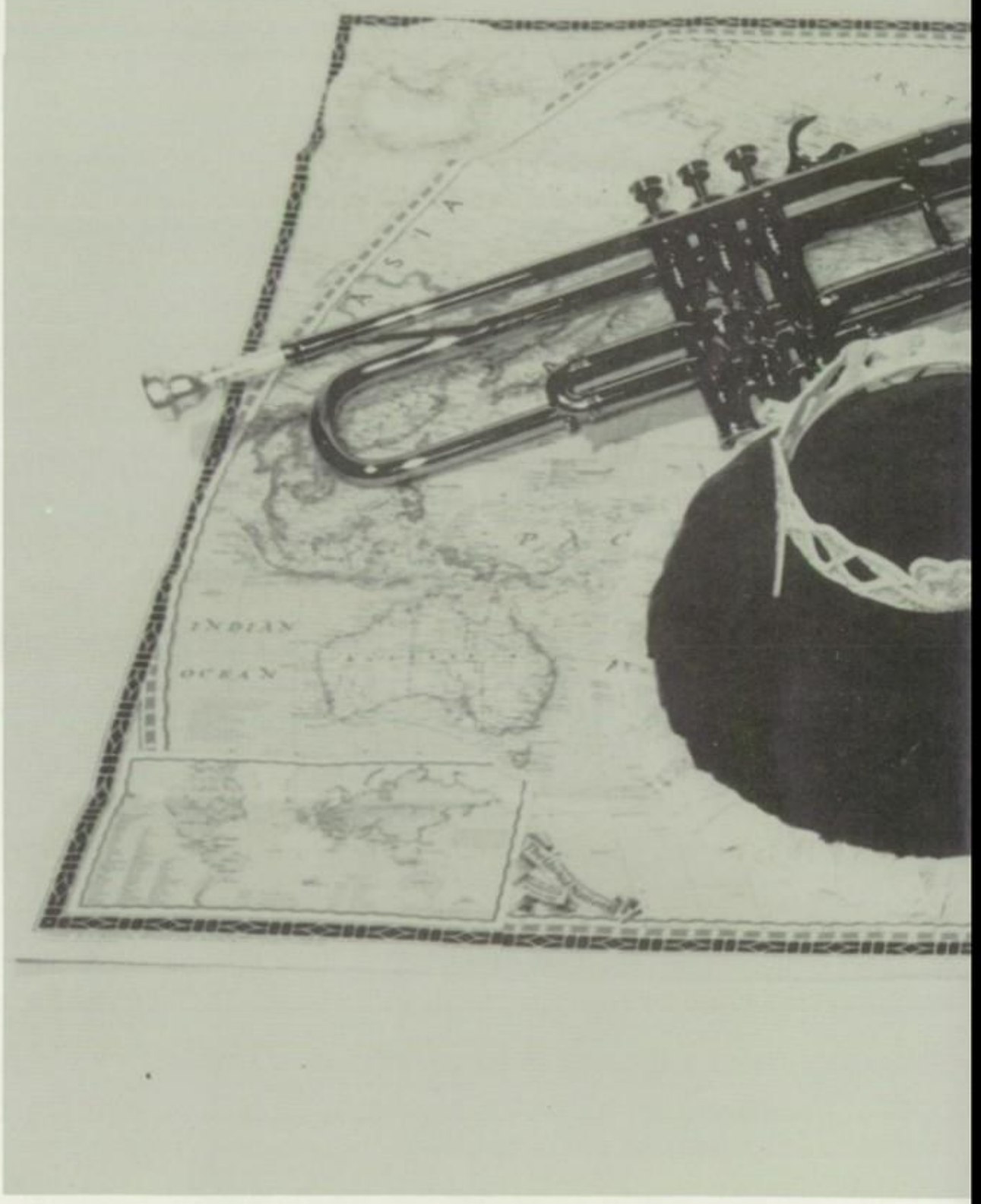
SOPHOMORE TEAM: G. Coy, J. Bell, L. Yates, L. Gieske, P. Gallagher.

JUNIOR TEAM, ROW 1: L. Marcus, P. Wells. ROW 2: P. Tanner, H. Newell, B. Gieske, G. Rowse.

FRESHMAN TEAM, ROW 1: V. Snyder, B. Strunk, D. Maiolo, S. Chalmers, L. Draime, C. West. ROW 2: D. Norris, B. Thorson, J. Hoffman, J. Newton, J. Kerr, S. Ottman, E. Connley.

Clubs, activities, and dances were as important to the student as summit meetings were to the countries of the celestial ball we call Earth. The biggest events of the year were the formal dances of which there were three. In the student life at Pennfield, the Student Council governed all school functions as does the United Nations in our vast world. The Student Council could actually be called a small replica of the United Nations in that it faced the same governmental problems, only on a smaller scale.

Pennfield was also the home of numerous clubs which sponsor field trips and programs. The gaiety of these events aided to relieve the tedious drudgery of studying. Such events also broadened the students' horizons and added the culture that will be essential in the future.



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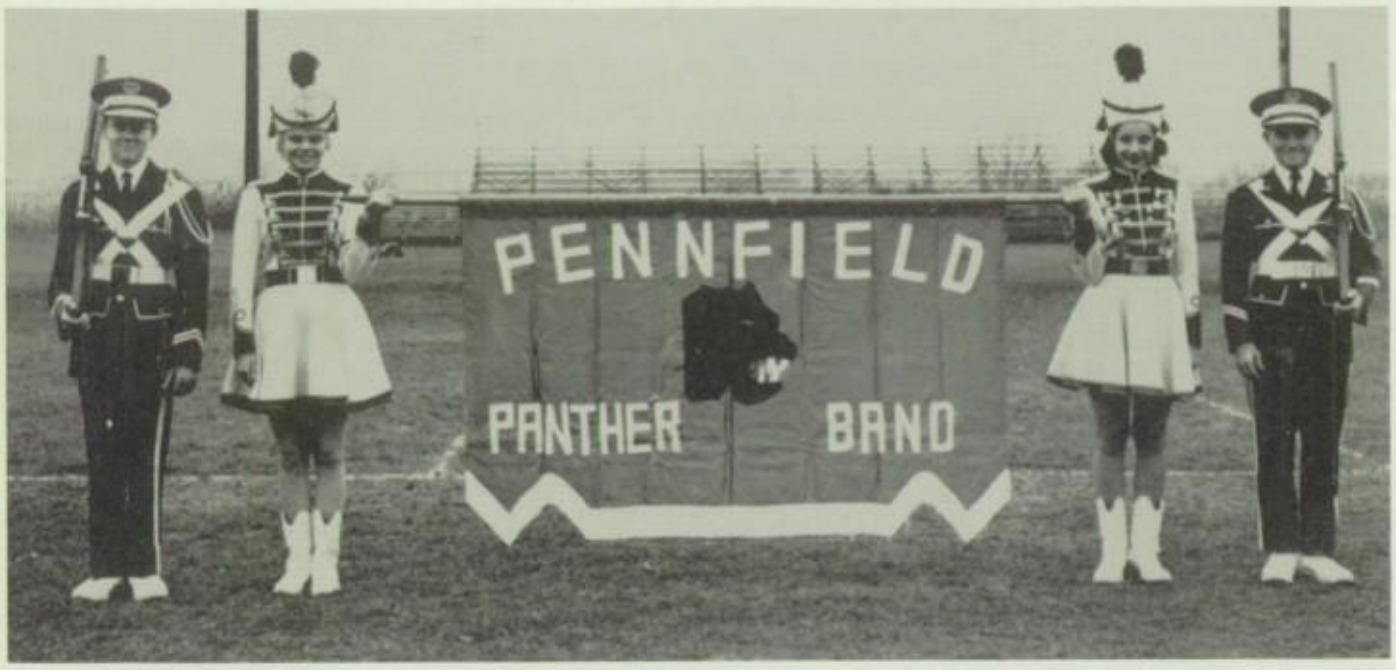
red World-Wide Variety

The Pennfield Panther Marching Band!



A new edition to the Pennfield Band - the Color Guard.

Pennfield Band Captures

Drum Major Dwight Johnston and Assistant Drum Major Dick Vandlen.

Head Majorette Judy Sivits and Assistant Head Majorette Dianne Willbur.

First Division Trophy

Majorettes: Sandy Grimm, Diane Scofield, Judy Parsons, and Nancy Simpson.

The Pennfield Marching Band received their first trophy by achieving highest honors in district competition at the Coldwater Marching Festival. The band also participated in the Michigan University Band Day with ten thousand members of various other bands. The Panther Band was invited to the Annual Syrup Festival in Nashville, which was an all-day affair. Band Director Ed Pickell, a native of Nashville, was chosen as the first Syrup Festival King. To wind up the year, the Panther Band hopes to go to Indianapolis in May for the big Five Hundred race.

ROW 1: S. Wood, V. VanLiew, J. VanVleet, J. McAllan, C. Greene, B. Drew, P. Gallagher, L. Firman. ROW 2: L. Anderson, D. Firestone, D. Vandlen, D. Hammond, J. Geiske, S. Lyon, P. Snook, C. Behnke, R. Witmer, B. Thurgaland, D. Weaver, J. Tort. ROW 3: E. Trafford, W. Pet, C. Wilson, G. Reese, J. DeVoe, J. Brugh, J. Miller, K. Walker, G. Hammond, D. Moon, D. Barris, R. Jewell, T. Cantrell, D. Euans, D. Webb, P. Bacon. ROW 4: D. Johnston, D. Chaput, B. Bunce, D. Bird, F. Johnson, J. Cowles, S. Spalsbury, E. Gallagher, G. Jessup, B. Catlow, D. Walton, E. McClain, R. Pope, J. Legassee, G. Hall, G. Garms, D. Vire.

Jam session from a swinging quintet.

Panthers exhibit marc

Concert Band Imparted the Best in Musical Impressions

The Pennfield Concert Band, under the direction of Edward Pickell, had a busy schedule this past year. The band gave Christmas, Winter and Spring Concerts, covering a wide variety of concert music.

On February 24th, the band participated in the concert contest at Portage High School.

The Band Banquet, honoring all band members, is a yearly event sponsored by parents of the members. The banquet was held in May and the John Phillip Sousa Award was presented to the outstanding senior bandsmen.

Band officers elected for the past year were: Randy Pope, president; Dwight Johnston, vice-president; Don Vire, secretary; Phil Bacon, treasurer; Eddie Gallagher and Gary Hall, band managers.

ng ability.

Band officers display award won by band for an excellent showing.

"Showboat" Represented the Pennfield T

Under the direction of Edward Pickell, Pennfield's most talented students presented the annual talent show. "Showboat" was the theme chosen for the program. Hopeful participants practiced long and hard to prepare for the important tryouts.

"Showboat" was held on March 30th and 31st. The cast consisted of vocal solos and duets, instrumental numbers, modern dance, and com-

Dianne stepped in time to "Mack The Knife" in a modern jazz number.

Marty Bunce and Ron Lapekas were the top comedy duet by staging a ballet dance.

The Baton Corp did a

The audience was well-satisfied by Jim King's pantomine of Al Jolson's "Tut, Tut, Tootsy, Goodbye".

The Chorus Line ended the evening with a fast-moving routine, "In The Mood".

Best of alent

edy skits. The dance band, comprised of Pennfield's top musicians, also provided the audience with ample entertainment by rendering magnificent instrumental numbers. The entire cast was well-satisfied by the excellent turnout they received. "Showboat" was indeed the highlight of the spring season and provided the best in entertainment and variety.

Judy Sivits executed a flag routine with a flaming baton.

Bob Thurgaland rendered a brilliant instrumental number "Second Hungarian Rhapsody".

jazzy routine to "Drummer Boy Blues".

Sandy Blankenship, dressed as a debonaire gentleman, played a piano solo.

Kay Edgerton, Harriet Newell, Lee Ann Marcus formed a lovely trio, singing, "Angry".

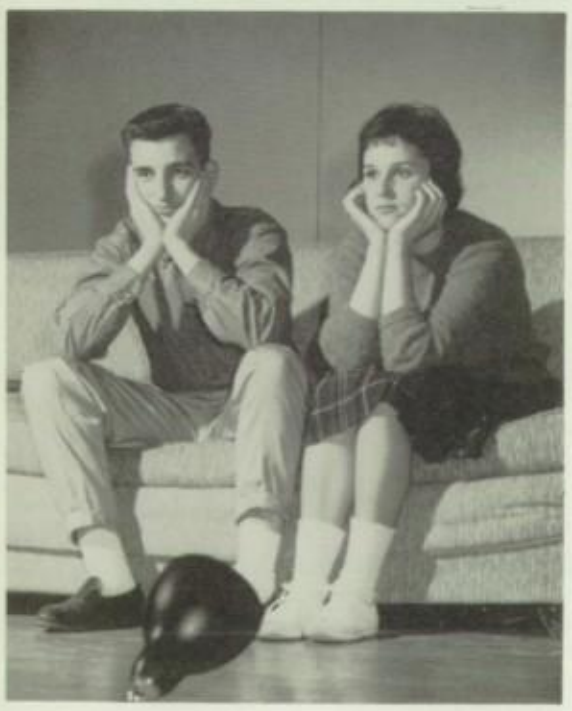
Steve Jones received tremendous applause for his organ solo.

Junior Actors' Antics Provide Ample Entertainment

ROW 1: P. Bacon, B. Jones, J. Bettuo, L. Hutchins, S. Schurnstein, R. Howes, R. Lapekas. ROW 2: N. Guthrie, B. Freed, J. Hoffman, J. Spicer. ROW 3: P. Granfors, M. Bartholomew, C. Hand, M. Ledbetter, P. Wells, P. Sabin, J. McComb, D. Vire, D. Johnston, D. Marshall, S. Wood, D. McConnell.

"Dobie, my love, my only love!"

The month of March, 1961, was a busy and hectic month for the Juniors. All spare time was taken up in continuous rehearsal for the class play. The situation revolved around "Dobie," the energetic but undersized hero, who encountered many embarrassing and hilarious situations. The setting of the play was in a typical high school; the plot, how to get a band for the Homecoming Dance with no money. Dobie succeeds however, thereby proving that brains can conquer brawn.



Problems! The common predicament of most teenagers -- including Dobie and Bonnie!

"Look what Dobie caught!"

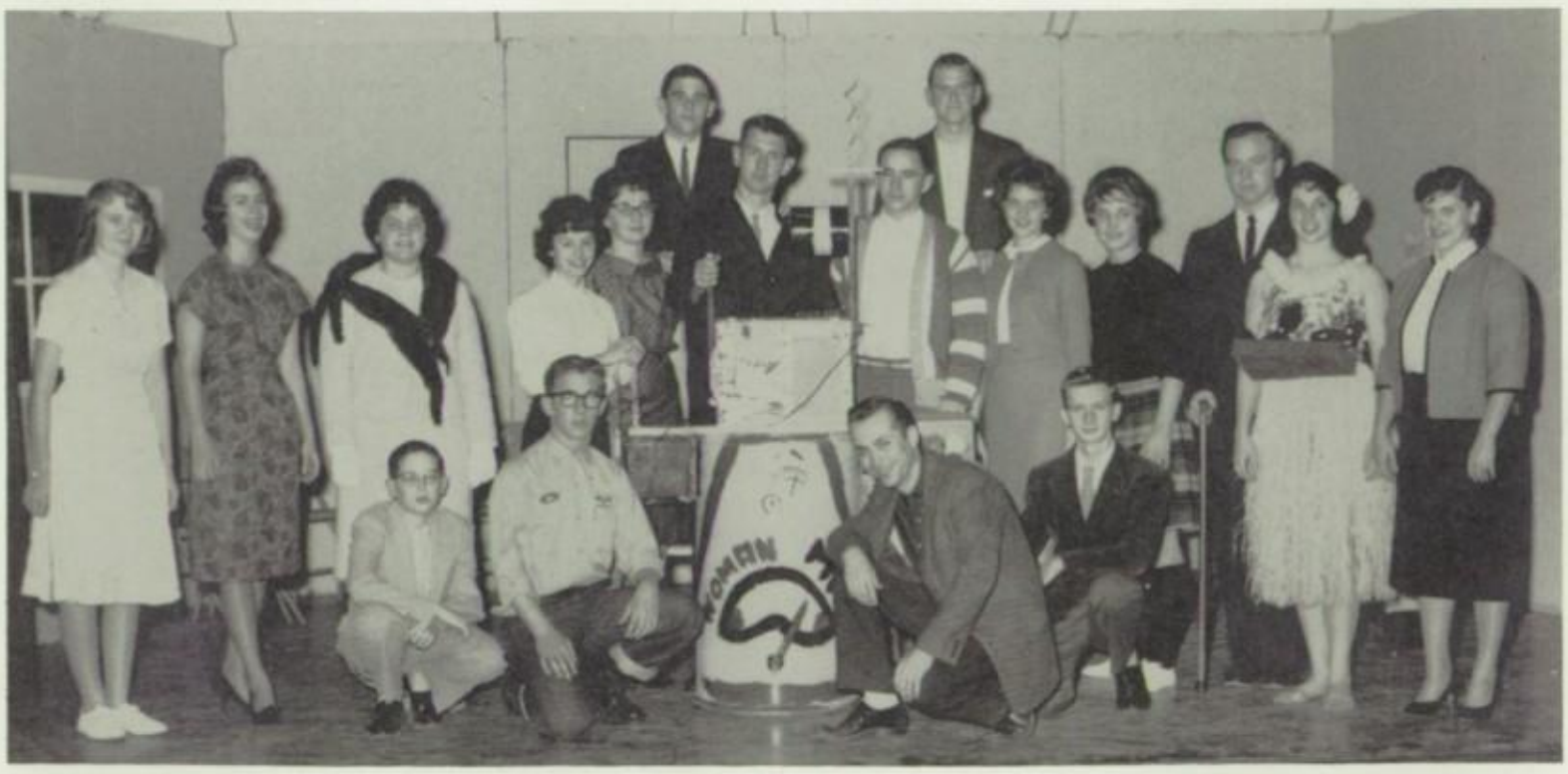
The Senior Class Presented "The Marriage Machine."

Charles explained the theory of the atom bomb to an attentive Julie.

Stan and Connie ended futile search at restaurant.

Connie explained the mechanisms of the machine to a customer.

THE MARRIAGE MACHINE was the title of the play presented by the Senior Class of 1962. The plot centered around a marriage bureau run by two women, Joyce Bettuo and Pat Sabin. Also complicating the plot were the romantic inclinations of the main victims who were portrayed by Dick Kilgore, Randy Pope, and Joan Hoffman. A fateful machine was employed to match people who were ideally suited for each other. Unluckily, the machine made a few choice mistakes and hilarious entertainment was the result.



ROW 1: R. Howes, E. Gallagher, Mr. Erickson, D. Joram. ROW 2: J. McComb, J. Hoffman, P. Wells, J. Bettuo, J. Spicer, R. Pope, G. Garms, N. Simpson, B. Freed, D. Randall, M. Bartholomew, P. Sabin. ROW 3: D. Kilgore, D. Marshall.

Panther Royalty Climaxed Eventful

QUEEN JUDY STRUNK

Margie Bartholomew

Janis Calladine

Nana Guthrie

Nancy Simpson

Homecoming

The cool crispness of Homecoming night helped to radiate the pep and excitement of Pennfield students that had begun weeks before. Sleepless nights, fingers worked to the bone, and neglected studies were well worth the final showing of the class floats. First prize was awarded to the Senior Class for the originality and excellence of their float. Climaxing the night was the presentation of Queen Judy Strunk and her court. Judy and her court: Margie Bartholomew, Janis Calladine, Nana Guthrie and Nancy Simpson, were elected by the entire student body from a group of ten girls who had been nominated by the Senior Class. Queen Judy and her court reigned over the dance, "Starlite" the following night.

Queen Judy, surrounded by her court and 1960 Homecoming queen, Kay Jennings.

Judy Strunk, 1961 Homecoming Queen, was presented at halftime.

Queen Judy and her escort, Terry Rudd, dance to "Theme from Summer Place."

Our beaming and happy queen was crowned by Kay Jennings.

"Blue Moon" Sets Pace for

Traditional New Dance

Many happy couples crowded the dance floor all evening.

The evening was climaxed with Beth's crowning.

Mike Nelson proudly escorted Queen Beth.

"Blue Moon" was the exotic theme chosen for Pennfield's first Snowball Dance. Elected from the entire student body and reigning as queen was Beth Freed, who was escorted by Mike Nelson. Also reigning as her court were: Sunny Swanson, escorted by Brian Barnes; Pat King, escorted by Larry Naramore; Linda Rogers, escorted by Mike Lapham; and Anita Lake, escorted by Don Chaput. The crown-bearer was Janet Hamilton.

John Walton's orchestra provided superb musical entertainment, making the whole evening a marvelous occasion.

The Royalty had a marvelous time.

'Mid Isle and Surf,

Steve and Janis are enjoying an evening at Bali Hai.

On this star-lit night, the couples are enjoying an exotic evening in

A typical Bali Hai scene.

The courteous doormen welcomed guests.

John Walton's band provided the music for

Couples Dance to Tropical Theme.

a tropical atmosphere.

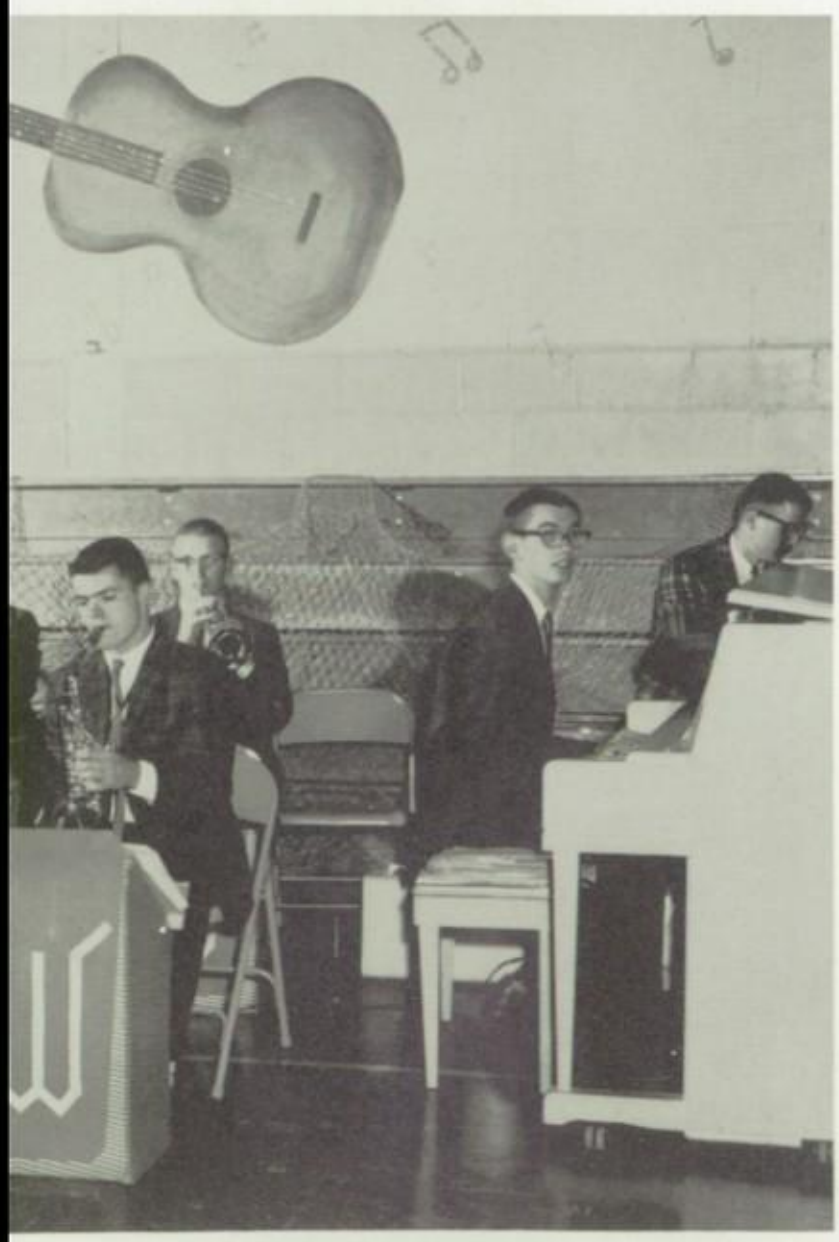
On the starry evening of May 20, 1961, the Junior Class presented the annual Junior-Senior Prom, using the exotic theme of Bali Hai. The couples danced in the tropical mood to the music of John Walton and his band.

The hard working Juniors, guided by their chairmen, Steve Bancroft and Dan McConnell, spent many long weeks in preparation for the dance. They were greatly rewarded by its outstanding success.

To add to the fantasy of the theme, five lovely, petite girls served delicious cake and punch to each couple.

During the evening, Master of Ceremonies Dan McConnell, presented the dance to the Class of '61. The Senior Class President accepted it with gratitude.

The whole evening was a success.



the Juniors and their guests, the class of '61.

The Juniors made all their guests feel as welcome as possible.

Student Council and P.T.S.A. Promote

Student Council members decorated for the dance, "Blue Moon".

Ron Lapekas, president, gives Queen Beth a ski suit.

The Student Council was the body of students that was responsible for the governing of school affairs and activities. The Student Council sponsored "slack day", a Christmas program, and other lyceum programs which featured speakers of entertainers. Mr. Dechow, principal of the high school, was the adviser.

The Student Council received complaints about school policies which were discussed, voted upon, and sometimes revised.

Much credit must also be given to Mrs. Barden for taking charge of the social room at noon, which the Student Council sponsors.

ROW 1: J. Kerr (treasurer), J. McComb, J. Parsons, B. Thorson, L. Geiske, M. Lapham, P. King (secretary), S. Swanson (secretary), B. Lapham. ROW 2: R. Lapekas (president), M. Frey, J. Humeston, K. Behnke, D. Prideaux, P. Morgan, John Dechow (adviser).

Participation in Governmental Activities

PTSA stands for Parent-Teachers-Student Association. Meetings were held once a month. The PTSA was formed to promote understanding and co-operation among the parent, students, and teachers. School policies were discussed and new ideas were suggested and voted upon.

Officers elected for the year were: Sue Munson, President; Kay Edgerton, Vice-President; Pat King, Secretary; Dereck Marshall, Parliamentarian; Steve Bancroft, Historian; Randy Pope, Chaplain.

ROW 1: P. King, K. Edgerton, S. Munson, R. Lapekas.
ROW 2: S. Bancroft, R. Pope, D. Marshall.

Margie Bartholomew, Nana Guthrie, Ron Lapekas, and Randy Pope were chosen as Pennfield's representatives to Boys' and Girls' State. Not pictured: Marty Bunce and Terry Rudd, also representatives.

Mrs. Miller, as president of PTSA took charge of the monthly meetings.

Science and Jets Clubs Offered Valu of Scientific

ROW 1: D. Pope, J. Calladine, R. Lapekas, J. Hoffman, L. Gieske. ROW 2: S. Bancroft, S. Morris, D. Prideaux, E. Gallagher, R. Howes, P. Wells. ROW 3: D. Marshall, B. Bunce, J. Lapekas, D. Rasmussen, B. Engle, A. Young, D. Nye, L. Brewer, R. Jewell, L. Anderson. C. VandenHeuval, D. Worgess, D. Willbur, L. Dechow, L. Yates, Mr. Schut.

Both the JETS Club and Science Club offered valuable opportunities for young scientists and engineers to explore new paths of science. The JETS Club, which stands for Junior Engineering Technology Society, worked closely with its advisers, Mr. Roger Schut and Mr. Pat Miller. Officers chosen were: President, Joen Hoffman; Vice-President, Ron Lapekas; Secretary, Donna Pope; Treasurer, Janis Calladine. During the year, the members worked on projects such as rocket and satellite models and radios. Many were entered in the Youth Talent Exhibit which was held in March of 1962.

The Science Club deals more with the scientific angle than the engineering. Projects ranged from growing crystals to studying oral bacterial count. Mr. Don Campbell was the adviser and the officers were: President, Steve Bancroft; Secretary, Bev Gieske; Program Chairman, Laura Gieske. A committee was also chosen to screen the projects of new members.

Janis Calladine tested the accuracy of a Geiger counter, owned by Mr. Pat Miller, the adviser for JETS Club.

ROW 1: E. Zinke, A. Newcomer, L. Newell, J. Parsons, B. Thurgaland. ROW 2: D. Vire, M. Bunce, R. Pope, J. Bush, C. Hand, D. Pulver, C. Lane. ROW 3: B. Hiscock, D. Randall, L. Naramore, C. Reitsma, P.

able Opportunities for Exploration
Fields.

ROW 1: J. Yates, J. Bush, L. Gieske, S. Bancroft, B. Gieske, G. King, E. Zinke. ROW 2: L. Naramore, E. Rocha, G. Jackson, D. Shearer, G. Garms, B. Thurgaland, E. Galligher, J. Parsons, H. Newell, P. Wells, J. Hoffman, D. Pope, V. Weidig, Mr. Campbell. ROW 3: T. Carpenter, A. Newcomer, L. Newell, V. VanLiew.

Lapham, C. Pierce, H. Ashley, J. Humeston, N. Guthrie, G. King, T. Carpenter, G. Douglas, B. Gieske, S. Morris, R. Webster, J. Barker.

Six members of Physics class: Dennis Joram, Ron Lapekas, Don Vire, Marty Bunce, Dave Randall, and Randy Pope experimented with two carts which will tell them the impulse gained from their collision.

Efficient Library Staff Aids Inquiring Students.

ROW 1: C. Hammond, J. Rogosz, O. Nash, S. Gasser, S. McCann, D. Aseltine, H. Randall. ROW 2: Mrs. Frederickson, R. Olsen, E. Rocha, D. Parker, S. Kelso, P. Granfors.

Mrs. Frederickson trained the hard working library staff to be her able assistants. Whether inquiring students are searching for material for a term paper or for information for an oral report, the library staff was always ready to lend a helping hand. Each year more books and magazines are being added to the library. At present the library offers a large selection of books, both non-fiction and fiction, magazines, periodicals, almanacs and encyclopedias, which are available to everyone.

Members of the library staff work efficiently in the card catalogue.

ROW 1: N. Bruce, J. Rogosz, V. Elmendorf, B. Gieske, D. Parker, K. Crandall, P. Tanner, N. Simpson. ROW 2: F. Rouch, J. Greenfield, S. Rugg, S. Gasser, S. Ruble, P. Thompson, J. Ackley, D. Worgess, P. Bird, M. Bush, E. Pierce.

Students Learned Domestic Skills

By candlelight ceremony the officers were installed.

Following their motto, "Toward New Horizons," FHA members strived toward their goals of being able homemakers in the future. By correlating school and home activities, they were able to attain most of their aspirations.

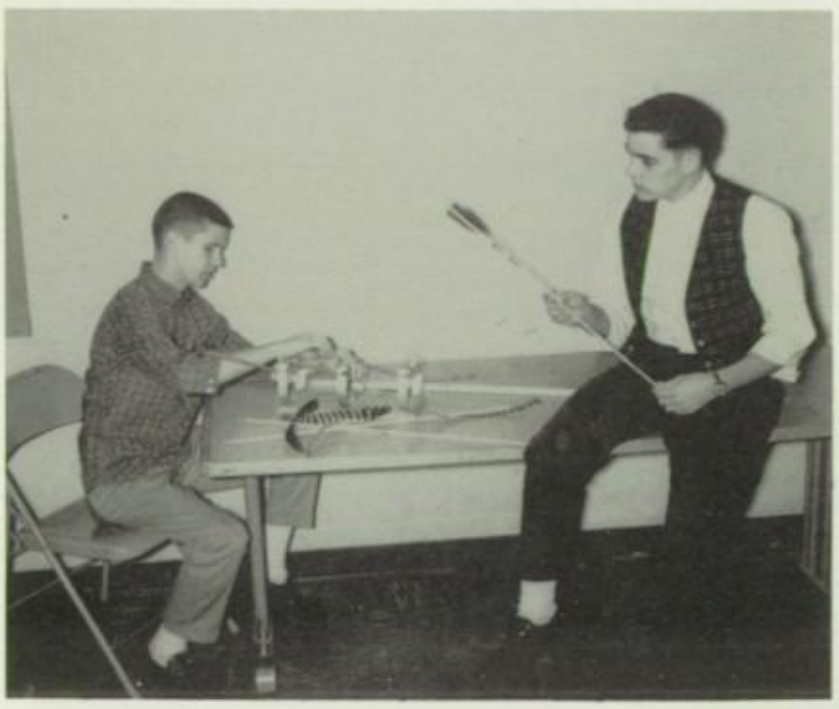
Various activities sponsored by the FHA were a potluck supper, mother and daughter banquet, helping the needy at Christmas time, and managing the school store. Every member worked for the honor of being able to attend the State FHA Convention.

Officers elected for the past year were: Bev Gieske, president; Diane Parker, vice-president; Phala Tanner, historian; Kathy Crandall, treasurer; and Valle Elmendorf, secretary.

ROW 1: G. Rowse, Mrs. Lee, S. Brown, J. Edgar, C. Smith, P. Steele, C. Bush, J. Strunk. ROW 2: D. Steele, J. Weaver, C. Graves, J. Bell, P. Wells, C. Wood, D. Scofield, J. Thomas, G. Herrington.

Bowmen Train for Precision and Accuracy

ROW 1: R. Lytle, D. Haylock, C. Hinton, D. Mudd, K. Holley, M. Frey, S. Lyon. ROW 2: Mr. Van Rhee, G. Stickler, G. Miller, L. Lynd, D. Eccles, D. Johnson, D. Walton, D. Garrett, J. Gieske, D. Murphy, D. Shearer, R. Johnson, Mr. Frederick.



Ron Heath and Dick Stanley are making their own arrows.

The Archery Club was just recently organized this year. Under the guidance of Mr. Frederick, the members made their own arrows, bows, and quivers. "Practice makes perfect" is the motto to be followed if accuracy is desired. Dick Stanley was elected secretary of the club and managed all correspondence. In the spring the Archery Club members entered several archery contests.

ROW 1: E. Connley, C. West, S. Hoover, J. Kuzma, M. Ledbetter, L. Marcus, J. Hoffman, A. Lake, J. Parrott, R. Lindsey, K. VanDaff, P. Tedrow. ROW 2: P. Thompson, D. Crandall, B. Beard, L. Draime, S. Chalmers, B. Strunk, C. Lund, L. Hoag, J. Rogosz, S. Outman. ROW 3: P. Bird, J. Spicer, N. Guthrie, C. Hand, P. Wells, P. Granfors, N. Simpson, N. Bates, K. Hoffman, V. Elmendorf, V. Weidig. ROW 4: D. Worgess, B. Hallaxs, L. Hooper, D. Howes, R. Hall, M. Lane, J. Kerr, D. Haylock, S. Brady, D. Garratt. ROW 5: S. Wood, J. Van Vleet, C. Johnson, R. Howes, D. Marshall, G. Herrington, C. Smith, D. Nye, L. Sanderson, B. Bunce, L. Anderson.

Team Backers Supplied Needed Pep and Spirit

The main function of the Pep Club was to boost school spirit and encourage good sportsmanship. The Pep Club worked all during the school year campaigning for better attendance at the games and increasing enthusiasm. Amateur artists were always busy doing posters to publicize school athletic events. Some of the many activities that the Pep Club participated in were the selling of Panther pennants, sweatshirts, and booster buttons. The profit realized from these sales went toward the financing of the athletic needs.

The Pep Club members always remained cheerful at the games; rain or shine, losing or winning. By showing good sportsmanship, even when losing, the Pep Club set a good example for less tactful students. Officers this year for the Pep Club were: President, Marilyn Ledbetter; Vice-President, Lee Ann Marcus; and Secretary-Treasurer, Joan Hoffman.

ROW 1: V. Snyder, M. Gothberg, M. Lapham, S. Russell, B. Thorson, J. Calladine, K. Edgerton, B. Lapham, S. Morris, H. Newell, K. Crandall, J. Hoffman. ROW 2: Mr. Campbell, G. King, M. Grant, E. Gallagher, J. Lapekas, D. Whaley, J. Barker, C. Lane, L. Gieske, Y. Phinisey. ROW 3: J. Rogosz, J. Greenfield, J. Edgar, F. Johnson, R. Dickert, J. Parsons, D. Pope, E. Zinke, L. Dechow. ROW 4: B. Gieske, P. Gallagher, J. Messenger, J. Baggerly, B. Beamish, B. Lytle, P. Howes, W. Robbins, D. Boyer, B. Thurgaland.

ROW 1: Mrs. Whittaker, D. Boyer, P. Gallagher, S. Grimm, J. Barker, C. Hand, N. Guthrie, B. Jones, K. Lake, N. Bruce, M. Heflin. ROW 2: J. Calladine, S. Bancroft, J. Greenfield, C. Johnson, C. VandenHeuval, H. Randall, S. Swanson, D. Rappaport, K. Hoffman, M. Gothberg, S. Gukis. ROW 3: L. Naramore, R. Lapekas, D. Pope, E. Zinke, G. King, S. Russell, M. Grant, B. Lapham, H. Newell, S. Morris, D. Marshall. ROW 4: R. Philo, D. Latshaw, R. Olson, E. Rocha, D. Nye, M. Spicer, B. Thurgaland, G. Johnston, B. Barnes.

Thrifty Students Save for Hopeful Trip to Mexico

ROW 1: G. Nelson, L. Anderson, J. Lapekas, T. Cantrell, T. Edmonds, D. Chaput, D. Daly, R. Webster, D. Weigand, L. Draime, D. Rassmussen, B. Bunce. ROW 2: L. Dechow, L. Yates, L. Gieske, R. Lindsey, A. Lake, J. Parrott, J. Kerr, M. Lapham, M. Lane, J. Kimberling, T. McClure. ROW 3: R. Jewell, S. Spalsbury, D. Bird, R. Summerfield, L. Hoag, C. Lund, J. Rogosz, R. Peck, J. Ridpath, S. Outman.

Marietta Grant takes orders for household degreaser.

Pennfield High now offers three years of Espanol, as Spanish is called by its students. The Spanish Club has a large number of members who participate in various campaigns to raise money. The money raised by these campaigns was carefully saved for the club's goal, going to Mexico.

The club has sponsored dances and car washes, sold candy and household degreaser.

The Spanish Club was fortunate enough to have some Mexican exchange students come to a meeting and speak with the members. The students were attending Charlotte High School.

Officers of the Spanish Club were: President, Ron Lapekas; Secretary, Harriett Newell; and Treasurer, Nana Guthrie.

ROW 1: D. Aseltine, L. Firman, L. Marcus, L. Gieske, D. Willbur, J. Barker, D. Worgess. ROW 2: B. Gieske, P. Granfors, J. Hoffman, P. Wells, M. Bunce, L. Dechow, R. Pope, C. Reitsma, C. Pierce, R. Tessmer.

New Things Were Learned as the Old World Was Studied

The Romans feast at their Annual Banquet.

The motto of the Latin Club was "Latinus est" or "Latin Lives Today." The object of the club was to acquaint the students with ancient Roman customs and ideals, and the ideas that the Romans have given us today.

On April third, a Roman Banquet was served, buffet style, for all club members. The "Romans" were dressed in the traditional toga, stolla, and tunic.

Officers elected for the Latin Club were: Randy Pope and Marty Bunce, consuls; Joan Hoffman, scriba; Pamela Wells, quastor; Laura Firman, censor; Beverly Gieske and Dianne Willbur, tribunes; Donna Worgess and Dale Aseltine, aediles. The adviser for the Latin Club was Mrs. Fredrickson.

ROW 1: E. Zinke, S. Lyons, L. Gieske, B. Gieske, H. Newell, J. Strunk, J. Pixley. ROW 2: D. Haylock, J. Messenger, D. Nye, E. Greenfield, M. Oberlin. ROW 3: P. Sabin, J. Edgar, M. Ledbetter, N. Simpson, B. Freed, P. Granfors, D. Pope, K. Daly, S. Munson, S. Snyder, J. Bell, Mr. Frederick.

Artistically-Minded Students Displayed Their Skills.

Elected as president of the Art Club was Laura Gieske. Assisting her as vice-president was Scott Lyons; as secretary, Harriett Newell; and as treasurer, Bev Gieske. Making posters for social events, games, and other school activities was one of the main projects of the Art Club. During the football season, the club also made some profit from selling shoo-shoos and confetti. Different students also worked on art projects which they entered in the Youth Talent Exhibit in April.

A pretty picture is turned out by the three artists.

The students inspect carefully the work turned out by one of their colleagues.

Glee Club Aspires for Vocal Perfection

Under the guidance of their officers; President, Lee Ann Marcus; Vice-President, Nancy Bruce; Secretary, Sandi Russell; and Treasurer, Terri Tack; the Glee Club participated in numerous vocal programs and money-raising projects. The profits gained from selling Christmas cards, candy, and sponsoring two car washes were used to purchase a set of risers, which are platforms on which to set chairs. The Glee Club also sang at the Christmas, Winter, and Spring concerts, and at several individual school programs.

The Glee Club tunes up on a resounding "C."

Two members of the Glee Club prepare for their daily vocal exercise.

ROW 1: S. Russell (secretary), T. Tack (treasurer), L. Marcus (president), N. Bruce (vice-president). ROW 2: B. Jones, C. Bonney, B. Norton, C. Johnson, B. Beard, S. Graves, B. Shaver, J. Coone, L. Lantz, Y. Phinisey, D. Crandall, C. Johnson, P. Tedrow, S. Swanson. ROW 3: P. Steele, J. Pixley, P. King, B. Hallaxs, S. Gasser, K. Henry, J. Thomas, F. Roush, S. Fairchild, H. Randall, T. Odette, S. McClam, S. Lechrone, S. Hover, J. Kuzma, S. Snyder, D. Norris. ROW 4: S. Munson, N. Miller, S. Rugg, V. Kilgore, C. Crandall, J. Newton, C. Stanley, C. O'Brien, D. Terry, P. Bacus, K. Edgerton, K. VanDaff, V. Reynolds, Mrs. Pet.

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Hardworking Staff Realizes Successful Yearbook.

Often, very little credit is given to the yearbook staff for the hard work they have done to produce a yearbook. This is partially due to the fact that no one except the staff members know of the long hours of work; planning pages, writing pages and pages of copy, soliciting advertising, and selling subscriptions. But hearing the excited "ohs" and "ahs" over the new PENN is well worth the time and effort that was spent producing it.

The members of the copy and layout staff are: ROW 1: P. Ashley, J. Spicer, C. Hand, S. Grimm, B. Jones. ROW 2: D. Pope, G. King, D. Marshall, B. Lapham, J. Hoffman.

Marie Raymer, business manager; Janis Calladine, editor; and Roger Howes, associate editor, were the general managers of the yearbook staff. Marie handled the financial end and Janis and Roger, along with our adviser, Mrs. Wilsey, kept the staff working efficiently.

The sales and photography staffs are: ROW 1: J. Barker, S. Swanson, P. Wells, P. Wells, J. Hoffman, J. Edgar. ROW 2: R. Hall, D. Vire, R. Pope, P. Lapham, S. Bancroft, N. Guthrie, F. Latshaw.

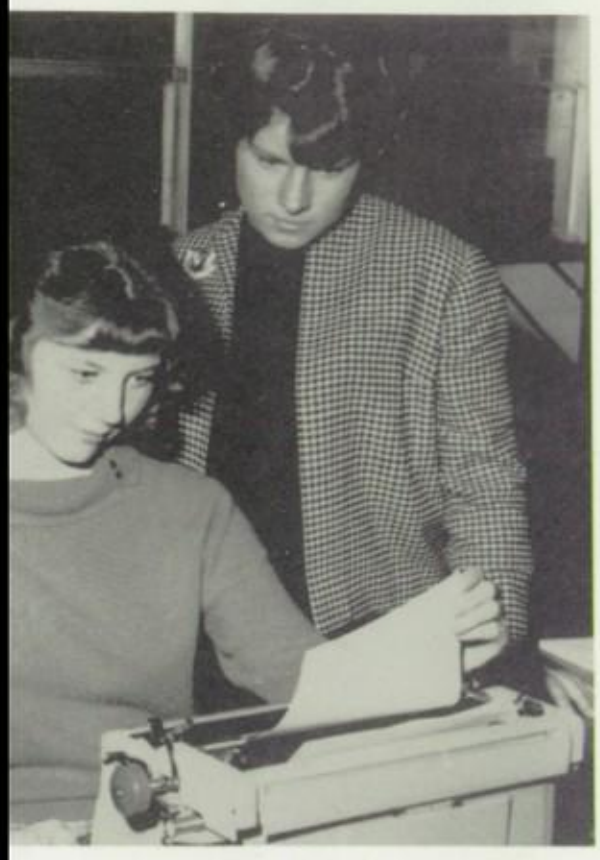
Industrious Newspaper

Adviser, Miss Anderson; Editor-in-Chief, Eileen Zinke; check over the first issue of THE PANTHER TALES.

Busy typists, Merrie Heflin, Judy Parsons, and Marilyn

ROW 1: Feature Editor G. Herrington, Sports Editor K. Edgerton, Typist M. Gothberg, News Editor W. Robbins, Editor-in-Chief E. Zinke, Feature Editor C. Smith, Typist J. Parsons, Sales and Advertising Manager B. Le-Clear, Typist M. Heflin, and adviser Miss Anderson.

Staff Edited Latest News and Intriguing Gossip



Gothberg set up the copy to meet the deadline.

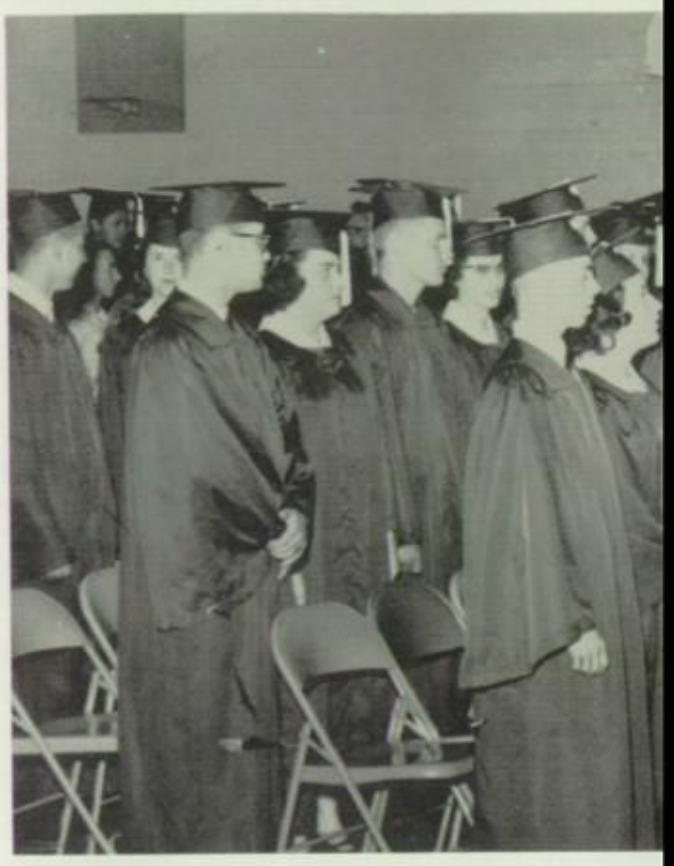
Bev LeClear and Wenona Robbins discuss ideas for advertising.

THE PANTHER TALES is the name of the school newspaper which the staff diligently published every month. Miss Anderson, the new adviser this year, and Eileen Zinke, editor-in-chief, along with the rest of the hard working staff did their utmost to produce the best newspaper yet. The profit earned from the sale of the newspapers went toward the buying of new equipment, so the newspaper could be run more efficiently.

Carol Smith cuts the stencil for the cover, while Kay Edgerton and Gail Herrington watch.

Deserving Students Receive

Keith Adler receives the General Physical Science Award from Mr. Campbell.



Presentation of the

Biology - L. Dechow, L. Gieske
General Science - K. Adler
Chemistry - R. Lapekas
English III - N. Guthrie
English IV - G. Gleason
English II - B. Gieske
English I - L. Gieske
U.S. History - R. Howes
General Math - J. Buller

Early in June a day was set aside to honor the 1961 graduates of Pennfield and to give recognition to the students who have attained the highest scholastic achievements.

Mr. Schut presents Lynn Smith with the Trigonometry Award.

Honorary Awards.

Senior Class

World History - B. Morey
Typing I - J. Burch
Typing II - L. Marcus
Algebra I - L. Dechow
Algebra II - E. Zinke
Shorthand I - M. Bartholomew
Shorthand II - K. Jennings
Physics - L. Smith
Plane Geometry - R. Howes
Spanish - E. Lapekas
Art - H. Newell
Home Economics - A. Swanson

Awards were given to the above students at an assembly held in the afternoon. We certainly have reason to be proud of these honor students.

Ed Lapekas is given the Spanish Award by Mrs. Whittaker.

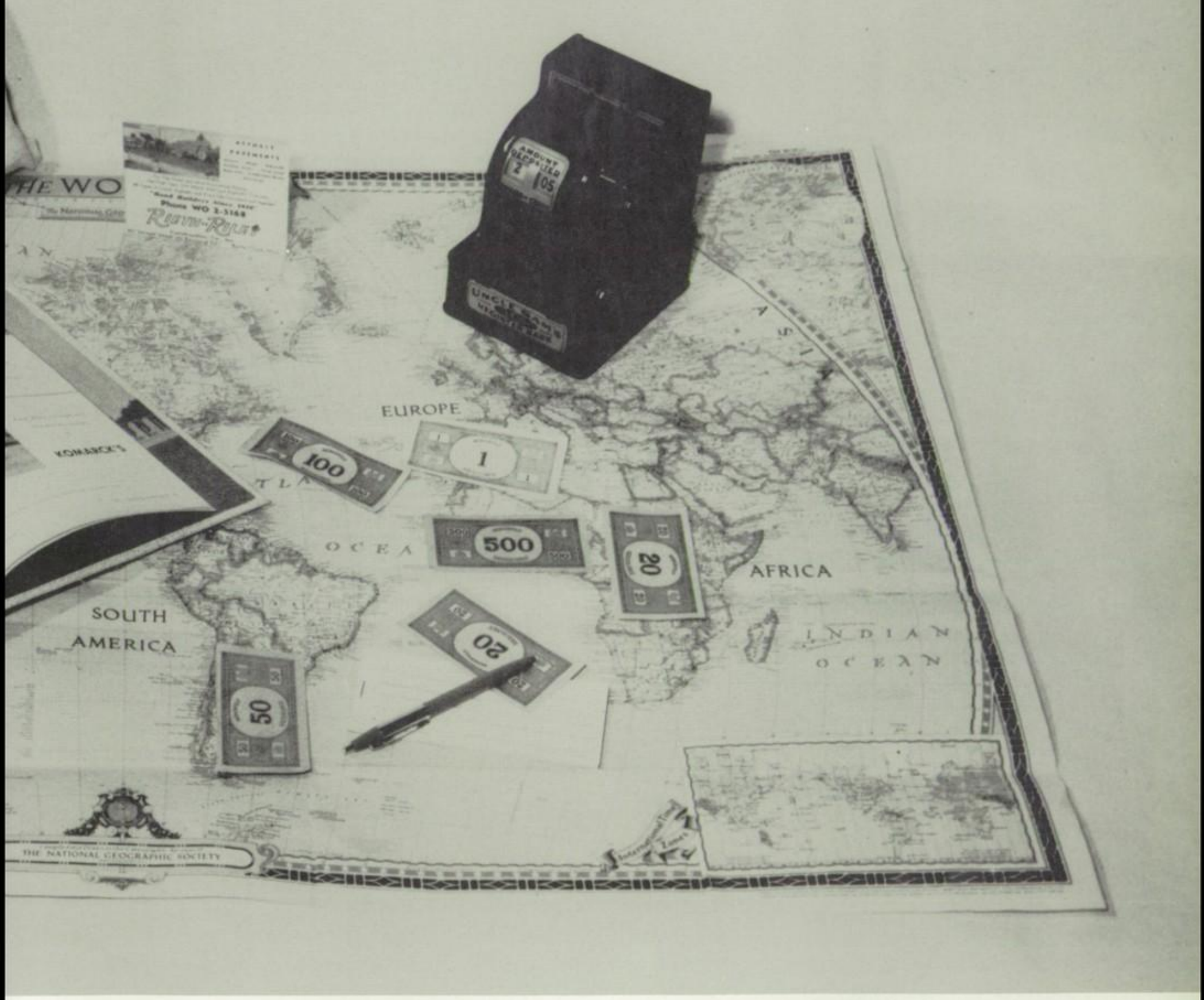
Eileen Zinke is presented with the Algebra II award by Mr. Campbell.

Glenda Gleason, Valedictorian, and Jack Struwin, Salutatorian, are presented with their trophies.

Advertising consists of soliciting advertisements from sponsors of the yearbook. To be successful at the art of gaining ads, those on the advertising staff have had to perfect their manners and public speaking. Soliciting advertisements from prominent businessmen is only part of the task which the student faces. There is also much to be done in handling the money received, keeping accurate records, and spacing out the purchased advertisement correctly.

Advertising could be more or less compared to the active commerce of the world. It imparts an experience that will prove invaluable in futurity. Advertising also bestows a lesson of organization and responsibility and is almost directly responsible for the quality of the yearbook.

Pennfield Js



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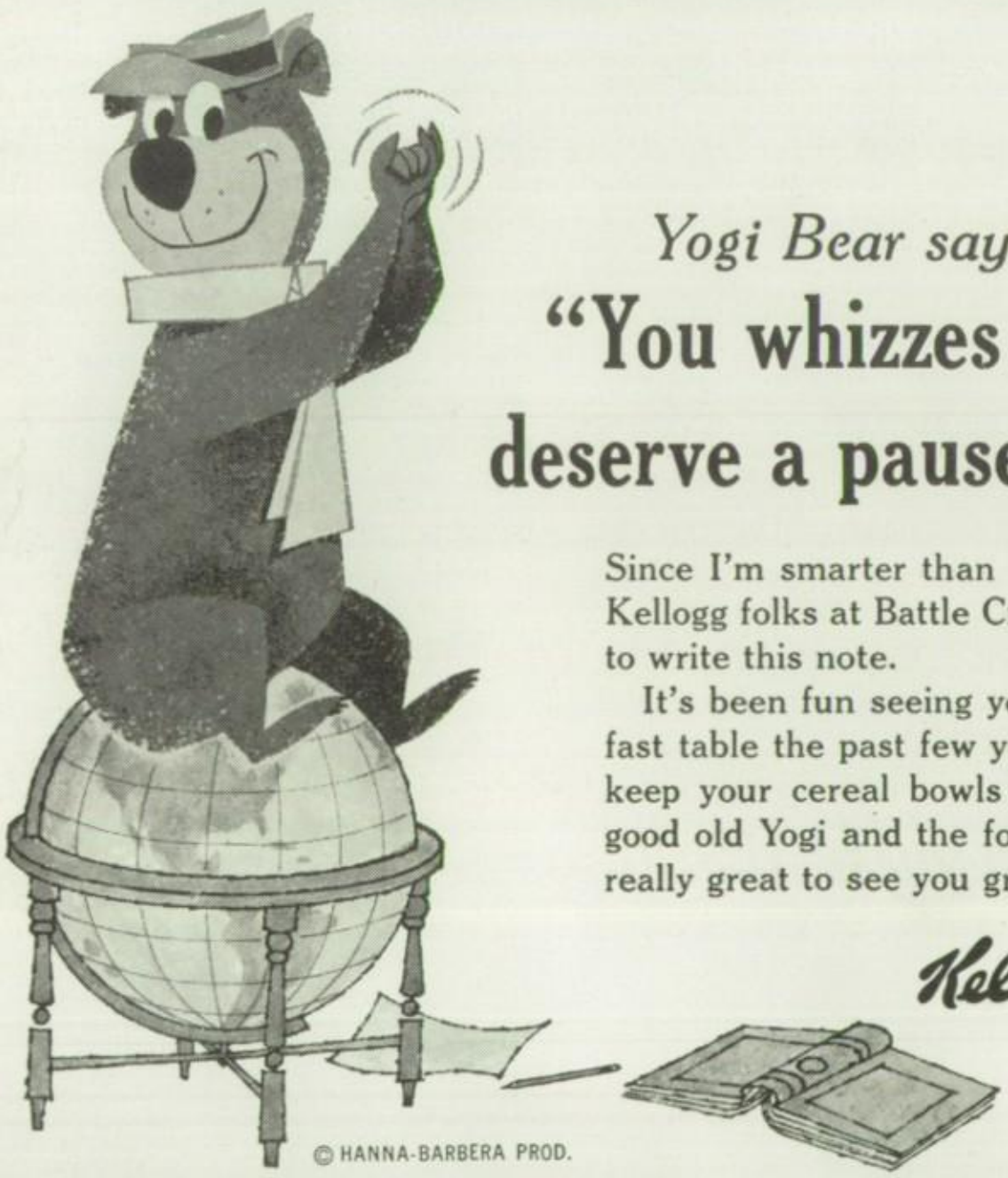

Yogi Bear says:

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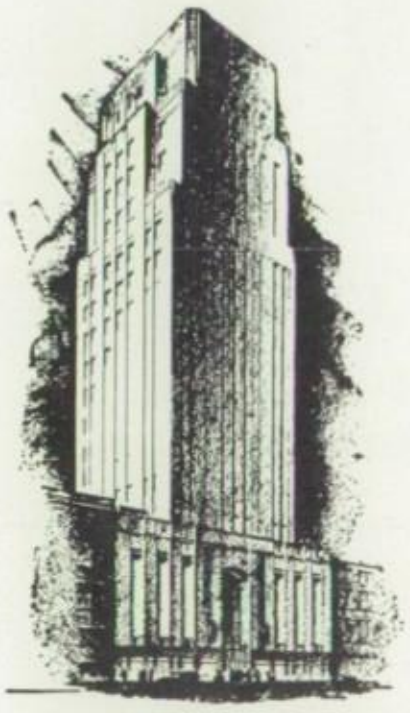

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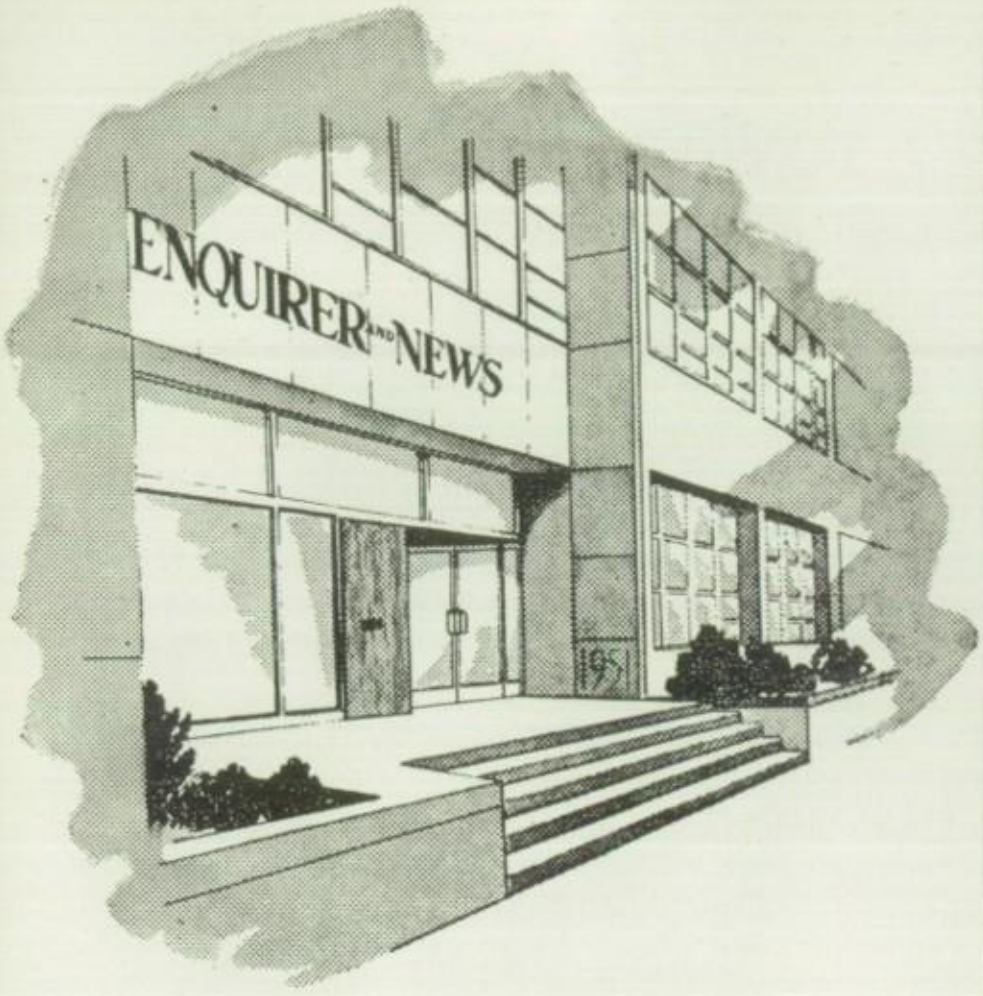

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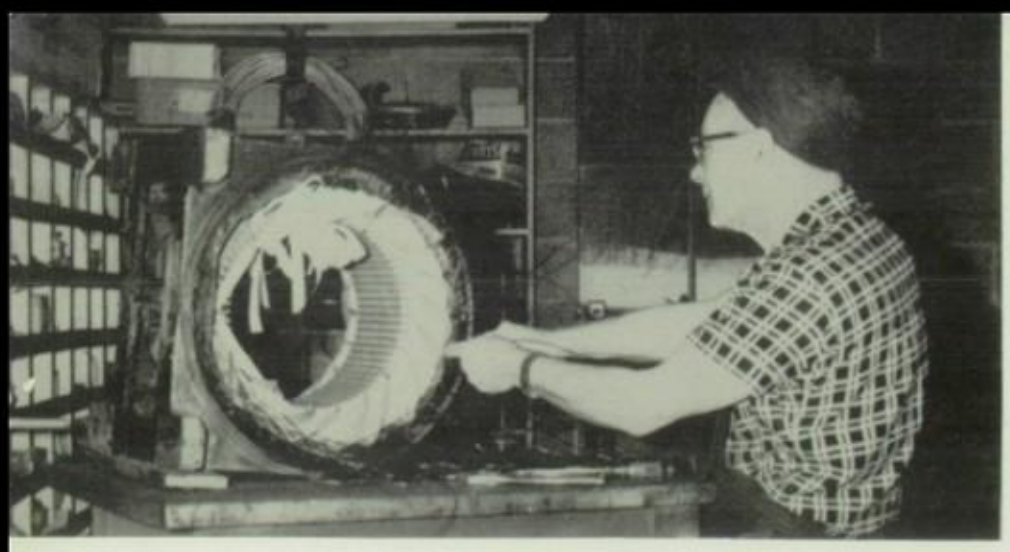

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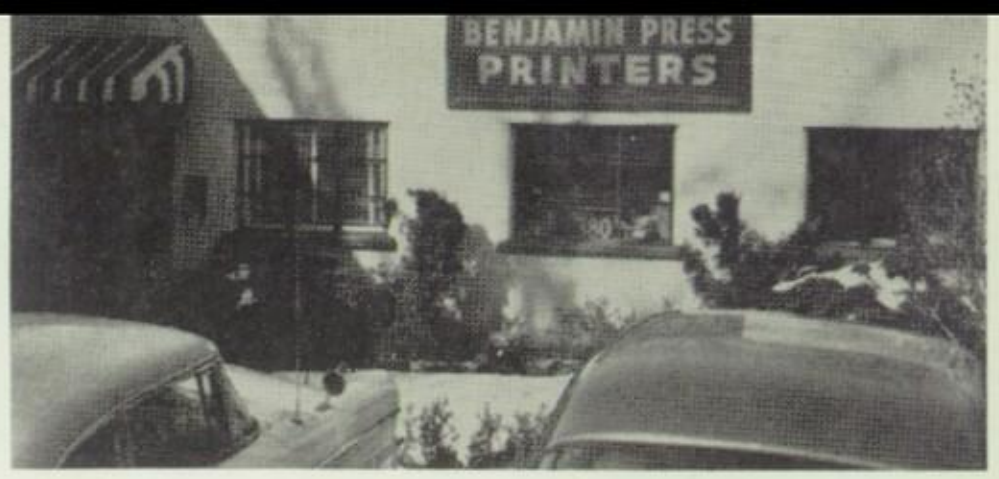

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MARGIE BARTHOLOMEW - Library Club 2, 3. Spanish Club 2. Jr. Play. Senior Play. Newspaper Staff 3. Student Council (Treas.) 3. Homecoming Court 4. DAR Good Citizen 4.

JOYCE BETTUO - Girls' Basketball 2, 3, 4. Home Ec. Club 2. Pep Club 1.

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RON HALL - Annual Staff 4. Baseball (Mgr.) 4. Pep Club 4. Varsity Club 4. BAA 1, 2.

CAROLYN HAND - Spanish Club 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 2, 3, 4. Jets Club 3, 4. Class Officer (Sec.) 2. Annual Staff 1, 2, (Copy Ed.) 3, 4. Jr. Play. Homecoming Top Ten.

MARK HARRIS - Football 1. Baseball 1. Archery Club 4. BAA 1.

RON HEATH - Spanish Club 2. Tennis 3, 4. Archery Club 4. Senior Play (Stage Hand). Football (Mgr.) 2. BAA 1, 2.

BILL HEFFERNAN - Jr. Play (Comm.).

JOAN HOFFMAN - Pep Club 1, 2, (Pts. Char.) 3, (Sec.-Treas.) 4. Latin Club 3, (Scriba) 4. Science Club 3, 4. Jets Club 2, 3, (Pres.) 4. PTSA 3. Jr. Play. Senior Play. Annual Staff 3, (Lit. Ed.) 4. Newspaper 1. Talent Show 2. Homecoming Top Ten.

LEONARD HOLLEY - Band 1, 2. Football 3.

RUSS HOLLISTER - Football 1, 2, 3, 4. Varsity Club 2, 3, 4. Student Council 2.

ROGER HOWES - Spanish Club 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 2, 3, 4. Class Officer (Pres.) 2. Annual Staff 3, (Asst. Ed.) 4. Jr. Play. Senior Play. Jets Club 3. Youth Recreation Board 4.

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GEORGE JACKSON - Spanish Club 2. Science Club 2, 3, 4.

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DENNIS JORAM - Student Council 1. Track 2. Senior Play. Science Club 4.

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DOUG KNIGHT - Football 1, 2, 3, 4. Track 1, 2, 3, 4. Basketball 1, 2. Student Council 2, 3. Class Officer (Pres.) 4.

KEN KYSER - Football 3. Track 2, 3, 4. Senior Play.

JUDY LAMMERS - National Honor Society 3, 4. Glee Club 2, 3, 4. Choir (Sec.) 3.

RON LAPEKAS - Jets Club 2, 3, (Vice-Pres.) 4. Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Spanish Club 2, (Treas.) 3, (Pres.) 4. Football 1, 2, 3, 4. Varsity Club 1, 2, 3, 4. PTSA (Treas.) 4. Class Officer (Pres.) 1, (Pres.) 3. Boys' State 3. Band 2. Talent Show 1, 2, 3, 4. Jr. Play. Student Council (Pres.) 4.

PAT LAPHAM - Jets Club 2, (Pres.) 3, 4. Varsity Club 2, 3, 4. Annual Staff 3, 4. Basketball 2, 3, 4. Track 2, 3, 4. Spanish Club 2.

FRED LATSHAW -

DIANNE LEATHERMAN - Glee Club 1, 3, 4. Band 2.

BEVERLY LECLEAR - Newspaper 1, 2, 3, 4.

MARILYN LEDBETTER - Student Council 1. Sweetheart Ball Queen 1. Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, (Pres.). Mascot 1. Art Club 4.

DERECK MARSHALL - Spanish Club 2, 3, 4. Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Jets Club 2. PTSA (Parl.) 4. Annual Staff 3, (Sports Ed.) 4. Science Club 3. Jr. Play. Senior Play.

JOANN McCOMB - Pep Club 1. Jr. Play. Senior Play. Student Council 4. Girls' Basketball 4.

DOUG MURPHY - Archery Club 4. Baseball 3. Baseball (Mgr.) 4. Football 3. Senior Play. Tennis 4.

DIANA PARKER - FHA (Treas.) 2, 3, (Vice-Pres.) 4. Pep Club 2.

ELAINE PIERCE - FHA (Vice-Pres.) 1, 2.

RANDY POPE - Student Council 1. Latin Club 3. (Consul) 4. Band 1, 2, (Treas.) 3, (Pres.) 4. Science Club 3, 4. Jets Club 3, 4. Talent Show 1, 2, 3. Senior Play. PTSA 2, 3, (Chaplain) 4. Varsity Club 4. Annual Staff 2, (Photo Head) 3, 4. Basketball 2, 3, 4. Track 2. Tennis 3, 4. Class Officer (Treas.) 1. Boys' State 3.

DAVID RANDALL - Jets Club 4. Science Club 3, 4. Senior Play.

LINDA ROGERS - Pep Club 3, 4. Sweetheart Ball Court 1. Student Council 3. Snowball Court 4. Talent Show 4. Youth Recreation Board 4.

TERRY RUDD - Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Baseball 2, 3, 4. Track 3, 4. Football 4. Spanish Club 2. Varsity Club 2, 3, 4. Boys' State 3. Class Officer (Sec.) 3. Science Club 2.

DON RUGG -

PAT SABIN - Pep Club 1, 2. Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. Home Ec. 2. Latin Club 3. Outdoor Club 4.

JOE SCHLUBATIS - Track 2, 3. Senior Play (Stage Hand).

ROBERT SCOFIELD - Track 1.

NANCY SIMPSON - FHA 1, 2, 3, 4. Art Club 3, 4. Majorette 3, 4. Jr. Play. Senior Play. Talent Show 3, 4. Newspaper 1. Homecoming Court 4.

DONNA SPEAR - FHA.

JAN SPICER - Pep Club 3, 4. Junior Play. Senior Play. Annual Staff 4.

DICK STANLEY - Football 3, 4. Track 2. Baseball 4. Varsity Club 3, 4. Talent Show 2, 3, 4. Archery Club (Treas.) 4. Junior Play. Boys' Chorus.

JUDY STRUNK - Pep Club 1, 2. FHA 2, (Treas.) 3, 4. Spanish Club 3. Glee Club 3. Cereal City Pennfield Queen 3. Art Club 4. Homecoming Queen 4.

SANDY SCHNURSTEIN - Jr. Play. Glee Club 1, 2. Homecoming Court Queen 3.

JERRY THOMPSON - Football 1. Basketball 1, 2, 4.

TOM TROMBLEY - Basketball 3, 4.

PERRIS VAN NOTY - Track 1, 2. Football 1, 2.

JACKIE VAN VLEET - Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Science Club 1, 2. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Jr. Play. Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3.

DON VIRE - Band 1, 2, 3, (Sec.) 4. Talent Show 2, 3, 4. Jets Club 1, 2, 3, 4. Science Club 2, 3, 4. Spanish Club 2, 3. Jr. Play. Pep Club 1, 2. Newspaper 1. Annual Staff 4.

PAM WELLS - Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4. PTSA 1, 2, 3, 4. Latin Club 3, 4. Annual Staff 3, 4. Science Club 3, 4. Jets Club 3, 4. Jr. Play. Senior Play.

RICK WELLS - Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4. Basketball 2, 3, 4. Football 3, 4. Pep Club 1. Varsity Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

PRISCILLA WILSON - Latin Club 2, 3, 4.

SHARON WOOD - Band (Sec.) 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Band 1, 2, 3. Pep Club 1, 2, 3. Jr. Play.

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The book we have presented is a picture of life at Pennfield. The Penn Staff has labored long and hard to give an accurate account of this life. The pictures you have seen are a witness of what we have accomplished; the words are an account of ourselves.

The Penn Staff has produced this picture; every word, every phrase, every photo is a part of this being. This book is of ourselves and, therefore, of Pennfield because we are the ones who make Pennfield. Through photographs and phrases you have witnessed our life at Pennfield - our studies, athletics, social events - in essence, all that makes up our school.

Pennfield is like the universe, always changing. Students will come and go; events will occur and then fade away. It is only a part of our life; a basis upon which to build our future. Someday we must face the world. We shall, with confidence, for it offers prospects unchallenged; tomorrows indefinite.

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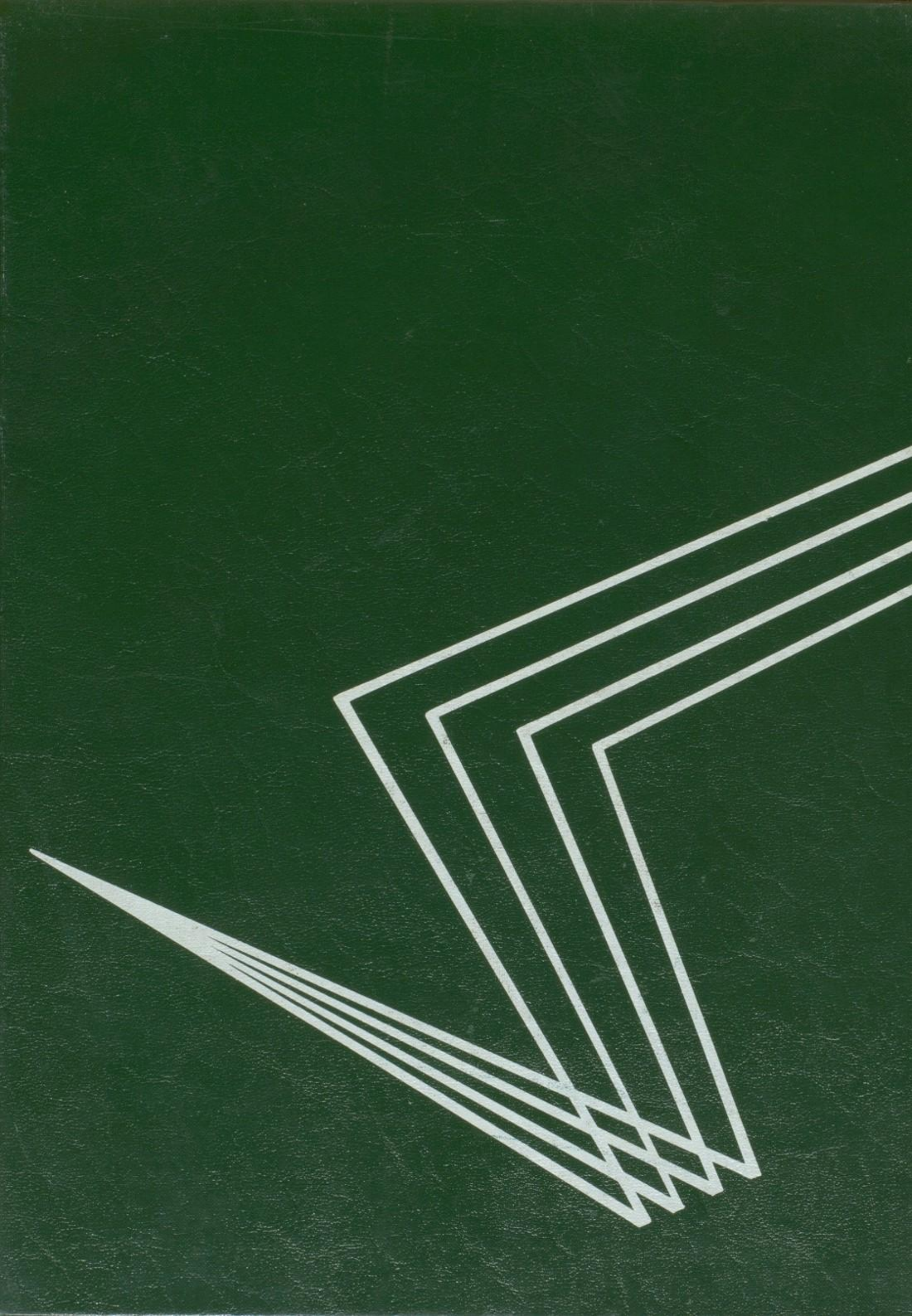
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